SORTING SOME OF THE WRIGHTS OF SOUTHERN VIRGINIA

PART V: ROBERT WRIGHT, SR. (CAMPBELL COUNTY),
HIS WIVES MARY (_____) WRIGHT AND
KEZIAH (GILLENWATERS) WRIGHT,
AND HIS DESCENDANTS

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D. <u>Leonard Wright</u>

Horses

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Leonard Wright was a son of Robert Wright, Sr. (Campbell County) and Mary (____) Wright. (Robert¹)

The 1795 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Leonard Wright in the Robert Wright, Sr., household on May 12:

Date <u>of List</u>		ns Names With the Tax		Vhite <u>ithes</u>	B. <u>O. 16</u>	B. <u>O. 12</u>	<u>Horses</u>
May 12	John V	Wright Jur)		4			2
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Chariots

W. Car

Chairs

This record identifies Leonard Wright as a son of Robert Wright, Sr. (Campbell County) and Mary (_____) Wright.

The 1796 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Leonard Wright in the Robert Wright, Sr., household on May 24:

licence

Date of List		s Names <u>/ith the Tax</u>	W	/hites	B. <u>O 16</u>	B. <u>O. 12</u>	<u>Horses</u>
May 24		Vright Senr) ight Jur.) right)		3			3
S. Horses	rate cova.	ordina. licence	B. Tables	Coad Char	hes &	2 Wheel Char.	

On October 26, 1799, at Campbell County, Virginia, D.B. 5/553 Leonard Wright acted as a witness to a deed from Robert Wright, Sr., and Mary Wright to John Wright:

"This Indenture made and confirmed this Twenty sixth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine between Robert Wright of Campbell County and state of Virginia of the one part and John Wright of the County and state aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Robert

Wright for and in consideration of the some of Twenty pounds to him in hand paid by the said John Wright the receipt whereof the said Robert Wright doth hereby acknowledge the sd. Robert Wright hath granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell and confirm unto the said John Wright his heirs and assigns for ever a certain Tract or parcel of land containing eighty acres lying and being in the County of Campbell on the East branches of stone wall Creek and bounded as followeth to wit Begining at the big path that leads from William Burnetts to Stephen Martins upon said Robert Wrights and Josiah Martins line thence of north to Pointers thence off North sixty five degrees East eighty eight poles to pointers thence along said Wrights and William Burnetts lines to the said big path near William Burnetts fence thence along the said path to the begining the said Tract or parcel of land containing eighty acres be the same more or less as it is now laid of with all the profits woods ways and water courses and all and every appurtenance whatsoever to the eighty acres of land above mentioned and also the reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders rents and services of the said premises and every part and parcil thereof To have and to hold the said Eighty acres of land and all and singular the premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof unto him the said John Wright his heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of him the said John Wright and his heirs and assigns for ever and he the said Robert Wright for himself his heirs Exors. admrs. and assigns the said Eighty acres of land and premises and every part thereof against him his heirs Exors admrs and assigns and against all rights wills and rights of dowers and against all and every other person or persons whatsoever to the said John Wright his heirs and assigns shall and will for ever warrant and defend firmly by these presents in witness he the said Robert Wright and Mary Wright his wife do hereunto sett there hands and seals this twenty sixth day of October one Thousand seven hundred and ninety nine.

Seald and delivered in presents of us Leonard Wright Robert Wright Junr.

Robert Wright Senr. Mary Wright George Wright

At a Court held for Campbell County December 9th 1799

This Indenture was proved by the oath of Leonard Wright and George Wright two of the witnesses whose names are thereunto Subscribed, and at a Court held for the said County the 13th day of September 1802 the same was further proved by the oath of Robert Wright Junr the other witness to the said Deed subscribed and Ordered to be Recorded

Examined Teste

Ro. Alexander, CCC"

	E.		nd Her Husband Perrin Giles as a daughter of Robert Wright, Sr., and Mary
,	\ \\/riak	nt. (Robert¹)	as a daugnter of Robert Wright, Sr., and Mary
\	, ,	,	NAViolet and Demin Oileannes dated as April 00
		•	Wright and Perrin Giles was dated on April 23,
1800,		npbell County, Virginia:	
	Camp	obell Court to Isue out Licen of Matrimony given under n	n Wright of Lawfull age to give Liberty to Clark of ce unto Perrin Giles in order to Join us in a ny hand this 23" April 1800 as I give my
	Teste		Robert Wright Senr
		rt Wright	Elizabeth Wright
	Anny	Wright X	X her mark
	her M		nei mark
	firmly in the made Admr	bound to James Monroe Es Sum of One Hundred & fift to the Said Governor his S	that we Perrin Giles & Robert Wright are held & sqr Governor of the Common Wealth of Virginia y Dollars to the which Paiment well & truly to be uccessors We bind ourselves our Heirs Exrs & y these Presents Sealed & Dated this 23rd Day
	Short & Eliz Cause	ly intended to be had & Sole abeth Wright (both of Camp	ation is such that Whereas there is a Marriage emnized between the above bound Perrin Giles obell County) If therefore there be no Legal on this Obligation to be Void, Otherwise to remain
	Witne Wm <i>A</i>	ess Alexander	Perrin Giles Robert Wright"

The listing of Robert Wright, Sr., on the consent indicates that Elizabeth Wright was his daughter. Robert Wright, Jr., married Ann (Doss) Wright and the listing of Robert Wright and Anny Wright as witnesses would seem to confirm this identification.

F. <u>Susanna (Wright) Burnett And Her Husband William Burnett</u>
Susanna (Wright) Burnett was a daughter of Robert Wright, Sr., and Mary

(____) Wright. (Robert¹)

The marriage record of Susanna Wright and William Burnett was dated on January 13, 1800, at Campbell County, Virginia:

"This Shall Certify that I Susanna Wright of Lawfull age do give Liberty to the Clark of Campbell to Isue out Liceinc to Wm Burnett of Said County in order to enter us into a State of Matrimony given under my hand this 13th Jany 1800

Test her

Robert Wright Susanna X Wright

Charles Wright mark

Know all men by these Prests that we Wm Burnett & Ro Wright are held and firmly bound unto James Wood Esqr Govenor of the Commonwealth of Virginia in the Sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to the which paiment well and truly to be made to the Said Govenor or his Successors we bind ourselves our heirs Exors and admrs Jointly and Severally firmly by these Presnts Sealed and Dated this 13th Day of Jany 1800

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas there is a marriage shortly intended to be had and solemnized between the above bound Wm Burnett & Susanah Wright (both of Campbell County)

If therefore there be no legal Cause to obstruct the Same then the above obligation to be Void

Sealed & Delivered) his

In presence of) Wm X Burnett

Wm Alexander mark Robert Wright"

The listing of Robert Wright and Charles Wright as witnesses to the consent and Robert Wright as surety on the bond indicates that Susanna Wright was the daughter of Robert Wright, Sr.

G. Probably Charles Wright, His Wife Rachel (Doss) Wright, And His

<u>Descendants</u>

Charles Wright was probably a son of Robert Wright, Sr. (Campbell

County) and Mary (____) Wright. (Robert1)

The 1790 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on July 28:

Date of Recvg List from <u>Individuals</u>	Person Charga with Th		Names male Ty above 2			
July 28	Charle	s Wright	Charles	Wright		1
over 12 & M	lorses lares	No. of Stud Horses	Rate of Covering per Season	Ordinary Licence	Carriage Wheels	Billard Tables

This record indicates that Charles Wright was born between about 1769 and 1774.

The marriage record of Charles Wright and Rachel Doss, daughter of James Doss, Sr., was dated on July 16, 1792, at Pittsylvania County, Virginia:

"Issue a Licence for the Marrige of my Daughter Rachal Doss With Charles Wright from

Test James Doss Jr James Bray James doss Senr

Know all Men by these presents that we Charles Wright & James Doss are held and firmly bound unto the Common Wealth in the Sum of fifty pounds Current Money To which Payment well and Truly to be made we bind ourselves our Heirs Exors and Admrs Jointly and firmly by these presents Sealed with our Seals and dated this 16th day of July 1792 Whereas there is a Marriage Sudenly intended & by Gods permission between the above bound Charles Wright and Rachel Doss Now the Condition of the above obligation is such tht if there is no Lawful Cause to Obstruct the said Marriage then the above Obligation to be Void or else to remain in full force Power and Virtue

Signd. Seald. & Delvd.) Charles Wright In the presence of) James doss"

The 1793 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on May 9:

Date Reco List from Individuals	Charga	Persons Names Chargable <u>With The Tax</u>		Names of white male Tythables above 21 Years of Age		Blks over 16
May 9 Charles Wright		s Wright	Charles Wright			
Blks over 12 & und. 16	Horses Mares & Colts	No. of Stud Horses	Rate of Covd. p Season	Ordinary Licence	Carg Wheels	Billard Tables

The 1794 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on May 26:

Date <u>List</u>	Persons Names Cha. wth the Tax			s W. Tithes 21 Years	W. O. 16 <u>un. 21</u>	B. o. <u>16</u>
May 26	ay 26 Chas Wright		Chas V	Vright		
B. o. 12 un 16	<u>Horses</u>	S. <u>Horses</u>	rate <u>coverg.</u>	ord. <u>Licence</u>	Carr <u>Wheels</u>	

The 1797 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on May 25:

Date of List 1797		ons Names ed With the	<u>Tax</u>	<u>White</u>	B.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>12</u>	<u>Horses</u>
May 25	Char	les Wright		1			
S. <u>Horses</u>	rate cov.	Ordina. <u>Licence</u>	Billard <u>Tables</u>	Coaches <u>Chariots</u>	Othe <u>Whe</u>		2 Wheels

The 1801 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on April 8:

	Date of <u>List</u>		Names C the Tax	-	W O <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>12</u>	<u>Horses</u>
	Apl 8	Charles	Charles Wright					
	Stud horses	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Ordina</u>	Coaches	s <u>P&</u>	<u>W 4 W</u>	D 2 W C	
	The 180	2 Personal F	Property Ta	ax List for	Campbe	ell County, \	√irginia, li	sted
Charles Wright with the following household on April 23:								
	Date of <u>List</u>		Names C the Tax	harg- -	W.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>12</u>	Horses <u>&c</u>
	Apl 23	Charles	Wright		1			
	Stud <u>Horses</u>	R. <u>Cover- ing</u>	Ordy <u>Licence</u>	4 Wheel		ages tons 2 ges Whee	Amt T	
	The 180	3 Personal f	Property Ta	ax List for	Campbe	ell County, \	√irginia, li	sted
Charl	es Wright	with the follo	owing hou	sehold on	June 22	•		
	Date of <u>List</u>		Names C the Tax	harge-	W.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>12</u>	<u>Horses</u>
	June 22	Charles	Wright		1			
	Otroni	Б	01	Einlein n		R. Cariage		A T
٠	Stud <u>Horses</u>	R. <u>Covering</u>	Ord <u>Licence</u>	Fishing <u>Seizns</u>	4 <u>Wheel</u>	Phaetons & Stages		Amt Tax <u>Dol Cents</u>
	The 180	4 Personal F	Property Ta	ax List for	Campbe	ell County, \	Virginia, li	sted
Charl	es Wright	with the follow	owing hou	sehold on	July 20:			
	Date of <u>List</u>		Names C h the Tax	harge- —	W.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>12</u>	<u>Horses</u>
	July 20	Charles	Wright		1			

					F	R. Cariage	<u>s</u>				
	S. <u>Horses</u>	R. <u>Covering</u>	O. <u>Licence</u>	F. <u>Seizns</u>	4 <u>Wheel</u>	P.O. <u>Stgs</u>	2 <u>Wheel</u>	Amt Tax \$¢			
Charle	The 1805 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on August 1:										
Orian	Date of List	Persons	Names C h the Tax	harge-	W.O. <u>16</u>		B.O. <u>12</u>	<u>Horses</u>			
	Augt 1	Charles	Wright		1						
	S. <u>Horses</u>	R. <u>Covering</u>	O. <u>Licence</u>	F. <u>Seizns</u>	4	R. Cariage P. & <u>Stages</u>	2 Wheel	Amt Tax \$ ¢			
	The 1806 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed										
Charle	es Wright	with the foll	owing hou	sehold o	on July 4:						
	Date of <u>List</u>		Names C The Tax	_	W.O. <u>16</u> _	B.O. <u>16</u>	Blks <u>O 12</u>	<u>Horses</u>			
	July 4	Charles	Wright		1			1			
	S. <u>Horses</u>			F. <u>Seizns</u>	Riding 4 Wheel F	g Carages 2 P & S Wh		ot Tax lars Cents .12			
	The 180	7 Personal f	Property T	ax List f	or Campb	ell County,	Virginia, I	isted			
Charle		with the foll			•	•	- '				
	Date of list		Names C h the Tax	•	W.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>12</u>	<u>Horses</u>			
	May 26	Charles	Wright		1						

	S. <u>Horses</u>	R. Covering	Ordin- aries	Amot of their Tax	F. <u>Seins</u>	Ric 4 Wheel	ling Carac	ges 2 Wheel
				ax List for Ca	•	ounty, Vir	ginia, liste	ed
Charl	es Wright v	with the follo	owing hous	sehold on Ap	oril 19:			
	Date of list		ons Names With the Ta	•	W.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>12</u>	<u>Horses</u>
	April 19	Charle	es Wright		1			
	_	_	_		g Carriag			
	S. <u>Horses</u>	R. <u>Covering</u>	F. <u>Seins</u>	4 <u>Wheel</u>	<u>P&S</u>	2 <u>Wheel</u>	Amot of D	Tax <u>C</u>
	The 1809	Personal F	Property Ta	ax List for Ca	ampbell C	ounty, Vir	ginia, liste	ed
Charl	es Wright a	a second tir	ne with the	e following he	ousehold	on May 1	1:	
	Date of list		ons Names With the Ta	•	W.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>12</u>	<u>Horses</u>
	May 11	Charle	es Wright		1			
	_		_		g Carriag			_
	S. <u>Horses</u>	R. Covering	F. <u>Seins</u>	4 <u>Wheel</u>	<u>P&S</u>	2 <u>Wheel</u>	Amot of D	Tax <u>C</u>
	The 1810	Personal F	Property Ta	ax List for Ca	ampbell C	ounty, Vir	ginia, liste	ed
Charl	es Wright v	with the follo	owing hous	sehold on Ma	arch 17:			
	Date of <u>List</u>		ons Names With the Ta	0	W.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>16</u>	B.O. <u>12</u>	<u>Horses</u>
	March 17	Charle	es Wright		1			
		_	_	Riding Ca	arriages	_	_	
	S. <u>Horses</u>	R. <u>Covng</u>	F. <u>Seins</u>	4 <u>Wheel</u>	<u>P&S</u>	2 <u>Wheel</u>	Amount <u>of Tax</u>	

The 1810 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household:

Name of Head of Family	Free White <u>Males</u>	<u>Age</u>	Free White <u>Female</u>	<u>Age</u>	All Other Free Persons	Slaves
Charles Wright	1 1 4	26-45 10-16 0-10	1 1 1 1	26-45 16-26 10-16 0-10		

This record indicates that Charles Wright was born between 1765 and 1784.

The 1811 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on April 30:

Date of	Persons Names Charge-	W.O.	B.O.	B.O.	<u>Horses</u>
<u>List</u>	able With the Tax	<u>16</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>	
April 30	Charles Wright	1			

			Ridin	<u>ig Carriag</u>	es		
S.	R.	F.	4		2	Amoun	t of Tax
<u>Horses</u>	Covering	<u>Seins</u>	<u>Wheel</u>	<u>P & S</u>	<u>Wheel</u>	<u>D.</u>	<u>C.</u>

The 1812 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on March 28:

Date of	Persons Names	W.O.	B.O.	B.O.	<u>Horses</u>
<u>List</u>	Chargable	<u>16</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>12</u>	
Mar 28	Charles Wright	1			1

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The 1813 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on April 17:

Date of Persons Names W O ВО ВО <u>List</u> Chargable with Tax 16_ 16 16 **Horses** SH1 1 Apl 17 Chas Wright 4 Wheel P&S R.C. F. Seins 2 Wheel Value Mills Rent Tanyard DCRent <u>forges</u> <u>ferrys</u> .16

The 1816 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on March 11:

Date of <u>list</u>	Persons Charged the Tax	d With	White Males over 16 years	Slaves above 16 years old	Slaves above 12 & under 16 do	Horses Mares Mules &c
Mch 11	Chas W	/right	1			
Stud Horses & Jackasses CC Nomber Do	<u>. </u>	Coaches <u>& Harness</u> Value <u>Nomber in \$</u>		eeled g <u>es &c</u> Value er in \$	Pheaton <u>Waggon</u> <u>Nomber</u>	s & Stage <u>s &c</u> Value in <u>Dollars</u>

Fishing Am.t of Tax
Seins Dollars Cents

The 1817 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household:

Date o	f Chai	ons Name gable the Tax	;	W.O. <u>16</u>	S.O. <u>16</u>	S.O. <u>12</u>	horses <u>&c</u>	S. horses
	Cha	les Wrigh	t	1				
Rate <u>Covs</u>	2 W R Cars Not Exd \$100 Value	2 W R Cars Excg. \$100 <u>Value</u>	P & S. Waggs not Exc \$200 <u>Value</u>	d.	P & S Waggs Excd. \$200 <u>Value</u>	Coaches &c Not excg \$300 Value	s Coach &c Excg. \$300 <u>Value</u>	ies

Amot of Tax

D Cts Proof

The 1818 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household:

Date of List	Char	ons Name gable <u>The Tax</u>		W.O <u>16</u>	. S. <u>16</u>	O. <u>S</u>	S.O. <u>12</u>	horse		S. <u>horses</u>
	Charl	es Wright		2				1		
Rate <u>Cov</u> g	2 W R Cargs Not Excg \$100 <u>Value</u>	2 W R Cargs Exg. \$100 Value	P & S. Wags. not Exc \$200 Value	d. -	P & \$ Wag Excg \$200 <u>Value</u>	s . 	Coaches &c Not Excg \$300 Value	Co & E \$30	ache Exg. 00 <u>lue</u>	S
Amot o	f Tax <u>cts</u> <u>Pro</u>	<u>oof</u>								

The 1819 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household:

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Date of <u>List</u>	Persons Chargea <u>with The</u>	ble	W.O. <u>16</u>	S.O. <u>16</u>	S.O. <u>12</u>	Horses <u>&c</u>	S <u>Horses</u>
	Charles '	Wright	3			1	
Rate of Covering	2 W Cargs Not Excg \$100 <u>Value</u>	2 W Cargs Exg. \$100 <u>Value</u>	P & S. Waggons Not Exg. \$200 <u>Value</u>	P & S Wagg Exg. \$200 <u>Value</u>	gons	Coaches &c Not Exg \$300 Value	Coaches &c Exg \$300 <u>Value</u>

Amot of Tax

\$ cts Proof

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The 1820 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household:

Date of <u>Lists</u>	Persons Names f Chargeable with The Tax		W.O. <u>16</u>	S.O. <u>16</u>	S.O. <u>12</u>	Horses <u>&c</u>	S Horses <u>&v</u>
	Charles '	Wrigh	1				
Rate of Cover- ing	2 W Cargs Not Exg \$100 Value	2 W Cargs Exg. \$100 <u>Value</u>	P & S. Wags not Exg. \$200 <u>Value</u>	P & S Wags Exg. \$200 <u>Value</u>	3	Coaches not Exg \$300 Value	Coaches &c Exg \$300 <u>Value</u>

Amt. of Tax

\$ Cts Proof

The 1820 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household:

Names of Head of Families	s	Free White <u>Males</u>	<u>Age</u>	Free Whit <u>Fem</u>		<u>lge</u>	
Charles Wright		1 2 1	45+ 10-16 0-10	2		6-26 0-10	
<u>Foreigners</u>	Number in Agriculture		Number i Commerc 4		umber in anufactu		
Slaves Male Age 3 26-45	1 2	Age 26-45 4-26	Free Colored <u>Males</u>	<u>Age</u>	Free Colored <u>Female</u>		All Other <u>Persons</u>

This record indicates that Charles Wright was born before 1775.

On December 25, 1820, at Campbell County, Virginia, D.B. 13/10 Charles Wright executed a deed of trust to Albon McDaniel to secure a debt due to John M. Settle & Company:

"This Indenture made and entered into this 25th day of December in the year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty between Charles Wright of the County of Campbell of the one part, Albon McDaniel of the second part and John M. Settle & Co of the third part Witnesseth that whereas the said Charles Wright is justly indebted unto the said John M Settle & Co in the sum of one hundred and twenty Dollars and forty cents by bond bearing date with this indenture and whereas the said Charles Wright is willing aid desirous more effectually to secure and assure to the said Jno. M. Settle & Co the payment of the said Sum of money. Now in Consideration of the Debt aforesaid and the further sum of one dollar to him in hand paid by the said Albon McDaniel the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath given granted bargained and sold and by these presents doth give grant bargain and sell unto the said Albon McDaniel his heirs executors and administrators the following property (to Wit) 1 Sow and nine pigs 2 Sows 2 Cows and 2 Calves 2 Cupboards 1 bed and furniture 3 hilling hoes 1 plow hoe 1 hand saw and Sundry other articles of household and kitchen furniture to him the said Albon McDaniel his heirs executors and administrators and the said Chas Wright do for himself his heirs &c warrant and defend a good and lawful right and title to the said property unto the said Albon McDaniel upon Trust and special confidence Nevertheless, that in case the said the said Charles Wright his heirs executors or administrators or assigns shall fail to pay unto the said Jno. M Settle & Co or their assigns the aforesaid sum of one hundred and twenty dollars and forty cents with the legal interest that shall have accrued thereon on or before the 1st day of August next then and in that case it shall and may be lawfull for the said Albon McDaniel after having given three weeks notice of the sale at some public place in the neighbourhood proceed to sell to the highest bidder the aforesaid property or so much as will be sufficient to pay the debt interest and charges of carrying this trust into execution the proceeds of which the said Albon McDaniel shall pay over to the said Jno. M Settle & Co or order. In testimony whereof the parties have hereunto set their hands and Seals the day and year first above Written.

Signed Sealed and deli-) Charles Wright vered in presence of) Albon McDaniel John P Wilson) Jno M Settle & Co Richd G Haden E. B. Victor

At a Court held for Campbell County January 8th 1821 This Deed of Trust was proved by the oaths of John P Wilson and Richard G Haden witnesses thereto subscribed and ordered to be recorded

Exd

Teste John Alexander, C.C.C."

The 1823 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on February 15:

Date of		Blacks	Horses,		Stud
receiving	Persons Names	above	Mares	Free	Horses
lists of	Chargable	years	Colts and	negroes &	& Jack
<u>Individuals</u>	with the Tax	<u>old</u>	<u>Mules</u>	<u>Mulattoes</u>	<u>Asses</u>

Feby 15 Charles Wright 1

Rate of

Covering Riding Value of Rid- Amount of per Season ing Carriages Carriages the Tax

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The 1824 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on March 13:

Date of receiving lists of Individuals	Persons Na Chargeable with the Ta)	Blacks above years old	Horses, Mares Colts and <u>Mules</u>	Free negroes & <u>Mulattoes</u>	Stud Horses & Jack <u>Asses</u>
March 13	Charles Wr	ight	1	2	2	3
Rate of Covering per Season	Riding <u>Carriages</u>		of Rid- arriages	Amount of the Tax		

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The 1828 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on February 28:

Date of receiving lists of Individuals	_	above 1	ales Slaves	Slaves 2 above 16 d years old	Horses Mares Mules <u>and Colts</u>
Feby 28th	Charles Wrigh	nt 1			
Free negroes and Mulatoes	Stud Horses and <u>Jack Asses</u>	Rate of covering per Season	Riding <u>Carriages</u>	Amount of the Tax	

The 1829 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on February 12:

Date of receiving lists of Individuals	•	Number of white males above 16		Blacks above 16 years old	
Feby 12th	Charles Wright	1			
Free Negroes <u>& Mulattoes</u>	Stud Horses and <u>Jack Asses</u>	Rate of covering per season	Riding Carriages		Amount of the Tax_

The 1831 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright with the following household on February 10:

Date of	Persons Names	Number of	Blacks	Blacks
receiving lists	chargeable	white males	above 12	above 16
of Individuals	with Tax	<u>above 16 yrs</u>	<u>years old</u>	<u>years old</u>

Febuary 10th Charles Wright 1

Horses	Free	Stud	Rate of			
Mares	Negroes	horses	cover-		Value of	
Colts &	&	& Jack	ing per	Riding	Riding	Amount
<u>Mules</u>	<u>Mulattoes</u>	asses	<u>Season</u>	<u>Carriages</u>	<u>Carriages</u>	<u>of Tax</u>

The 1840 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Rachael Wright with the following household:

mowing nous	Ciloid.					
Names of Heads of F	<u>amilies</u>	Free W Person <u>Males</u>		<u>Age</u>	Free Whit Persons Females	e <u>Age</u>
Rachael W	right	1		20-30 5-10	1 2	50-60 30-40
Free Colore Persons Male	ed <u>Age</u>	Free Colored Persons Female	<u>Age</u>	Slaves <u>Males</u>		Slaves <u>Females Age</u>
	Nur	nber of Persons		h Family I	Navi-	Navigation of
Total Mini	ng Agricu	ulture Commer	ce and	d trades	the ocea	n and rivers
5	1					
Learned profes-sions and engineers	ary or M	ers for Revolution ilitary Services in the foregoing Ages	Pe De	rsons incl af and Du	<u>uded in the</u>	and Insane White Foregoing Blind

Deaf and Dumb, Blind
and Insane White Persons
in the Foregoing [Continued]
Insane and Idiots

Insane and idiots at public charge

Insane and idiots at private charge Deaf and Dumb, Blind and Insane Colored Persons Included in the Foregoing

Deaf, Dumb, Insane and Idiots

Primary

and Blind Deaf &

Insane and Insane and idiots at idiots at Dumb Blind private charge public charge

Schools, &c.

Univer-Number of & Grammar sities or College Students

Academies Schools

and No. of Scholars

Common No. of Schools Scholars

Scholars at public charge

No. of

1

No. of white persons over 90 years of age in each family who cannot read or write

Since Charles Wright was not listed after 1831 in the Personal Property Tax Lists for Campbell County, he probably died in late 1831 or early 1832 and this listing would then be for his widow Rachel (Doss) Wright, but further research will be required to confirm this identification.

The Doss Connection, Volume 2, number 1, stated that Rachel (Doss) Wright was a daughter of James Doss, Sr., and Frances (Nix) Doss, was born in about 1771 at Pittsylvania County, Virginia, married Charles Wright on July 16, 1792, at Pittsylvania County, Virginia.

Since Rachel (Doss) Wright was a half-sister of Agness (Doss) Wright who married 1823 George Wright of Campbell County, a son of Robert Wright, Sr. (Campbell County) and of Ann (Doss) Wright, who married Robert Wright, Jr., believed to be a son of Robert Wright, Sr. (Campbell County), it is probable that Charles Wright was also a son of Robert Wright, Sr. (Campbell County). Charles Wright was also a witness to the marriage of Robert Wright and Ann Doss. However, further research will be required to confirm this identification.

From the evidence set forth above and additional evidence set forth below, the children of Charles Wright and Rachel (Doss) Wright were the following:

- 1) Probably Robert D. Wright, born on March 16, 1795, at Virginia,
- 2) Polly (Wright) Askew or Asher, born probably before 1798,
- 3) Elizabeth (Wright) Foster, born probably before 1805,
- 4) William P. Wright, born in about 1800 or 1802 at Virginia, and
- 5) Leonard H. Wright, born in about 1809 or 1810 at Campbell County, Virginia.
- Probably 1873 Robert D. Wright Of Amherst County, His Wife
 Eleanor Or Ellen (Hood) Wright, And His Descendants
 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County was probably a son of
 Charles Wright and Rachel (Doss) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles²)

The 1819 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Robert D. Wright with the following household on May 10:

	Persons Names charged with the list		Slaves above 16 years	
May 10	Robt D. Wright	1		
				

As will be set forth below, the pension declaration of Ellen Wright, the widow of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County, confirms his residence in Buckingham County in 1820. This record indicates that Robert D. Wright was born before May 10, 1803.

The 1830 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Robert D. Wright with the following household on February 2:

Date of receiving lists of Individuals	Persons names chargeable with tax	Number of white males above 16 years	Blacks above 12 years old	Blacks above 16 years old	Horses Mares Colts & <u>Mules</u>
Febry 2nd	Robert D Wright	2			

Free	Stud	Rate of		Amount of	
negroes &	Horses &	covering	Riding	tax on R	Sum total
<u>mulattoes</u>	Jack Asses	<u>per Season</u>	Carriages	<u>Carriages</u>	of Taxes

The 1830 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Robert D. Wright with the following household:

ring househo	old:						
Names <u>Heads of F</u>	- amilies		Free White <u>Males</u>	<u>Age</u>	Free White <u>Females</u>	<u>Age</u>	
Robert D.	Wright		1 1 1 2	30-40 20-30 5-10 0-5	1 1	30-40 5-10	
Slaves <u>Male</u>	<u>Age</u>	Slaves <u>Female</u>	<u>Age</u>	Free Colored <u>Males</u>	<u>Age</u>	Free Colored <u>Females</u>	<u>Age</u>
		W	hite Perso	ns included	in the fore	going	
	Deaf	& [Deaf &	Deaf &		Aliens -	
<u>Total</u>	Duml <u>Unde</u>		Dumb 14 to 25	Dumb <u>25+</u>	Blind	Foreigners & Naturalized	t
					<u> </u>	Itataranzoa	-
7							
Slaves and	Coloro	d Darcan	0				

Slaves and Colored Persons, included in the foregoing

<u>included in</u>	the foregoing		
Deaf &	Deaf &	Deaf &	
Dumb	Dumb	Dumb	
<u>under 14</u>	14 to 25	<u>25+</u>	<u>Blind</u>

The 1831 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Robert Wright with the following household on February 2:

Date of receiving of Individual		char	ons Name geable Tax	s -	wh	mber of ite males ove 16 yrs	Blacks above 12 <u>years old</u>	Blacks above 16 <u>years old</u>
Febuary 2	2nd	Rob	ert Wright			1		
Horses Mares Colts & <u>Mules</u>	Free Negroe & <u>Mulatto</u>		Stud horses & Jack asses	Rate of cover-ing pe	r	Riding <u>Carriages</u>	Value of Riding <u>Carriages</u>	Amount of Tax
1								.06

The 1834 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Robert Wright with the following household on March 19:

	Persons Names Chargeable with		Number of White males above 16 years of age	Blacks above 12 years	Blacks above 16 years
March 19th	Robert Wright		1		
Colts and and	e Stud groes horses & Jack attoes <u>Asses</u>	Rate of cover- ing per season	Riding	Sum Total of taxes \$ Cts	
1				.06	

The 1835 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Robert Wright with the following household on February 19:

Dates of receiving lists of individuals	Persons Names chargeable with the tax	No. of White Males above 12 <u>years of age</u>	No. of Blacks above 12 years of age	No. of Blacks above 12 years of age
Febry 19th	Robert Wright	1		

Horses	Free	Stud	Rate of		
Mares	Negroes	Horses	Cover-		Sum Total
Colts and	and	and Jack	ing per	Riding	of taxes
Mules	Mulattoes	Asses	Season	Carriages	\$ C

The 1840 Census for Amherst County Virginia listed Robert D. Wright with the followi

The 1840 Censu	s for Amherst County,	Virginia, list	ed Robert D. \	Wright wit	h the
ving household:					
Names of Heads of Familie	Free White Persons <u>Males</u>	Age	Free White Persons Females	<u>Age</u>	
Robt D Wright	1 1 3 1 2	40-50 15-20 10-15 5-10 0-5	1 1 1	40-50 15-20 5-10	
Free Colored Persons <u>Male</u> <u>Age</u>	Free Colored Persons <u>Female</u> Age Number of Persons in	Slaves <u>Males</u>	<u>Age Fe</u>	aves e <u>males</u>	<u>Age</u>
	Number of Fersons II	i cacii i aiiii	Navi-	Navigatio	n of
	0	Manufacture and trades		canals la	kes
11	1	2			
profes- tiona	sioners for Revolu- ry or Military Services ded in the foregoing es <u>Ages</u>	Persons ir Deaf and	Dumb, Blind a ncluded in the Dumb Ages		

Deaf and Dum sane White Pe			, Blind and Insan d in the Foregoir		
in the Foregoing [Continued]		Deaf, D	umb,		
Insane and Idiots		and Blind Insane and Idiots		ots	
Insane and	Insane and			Insane and	Insane and
idiots at <u>public charge</u>	idiots at private charge	Deaf & <u>Dumb</u>	<u>Blind</u>	idiots at private charge	idiots at public charge

		Sch	ools, &c.			
		Acade-		Primary		No. of
Univer-		mies &		and		Scholars
sities	Number of	Grammar	No. of	Common	No. of	at public
or College	<u>Students</u>	<u>Schools</u>	Scholars	Schools	Scholars	<u>charge</u>

No. of white persons over 90 years of age in each family who cannot read or write

The 1842 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Robert D. Wright with the following household on March 21:

Date of Receiving Lists from Individuals	Persons Names chargeable with Tax	No. of White males above Sixteen	Slaves above Sixteen <u>years old</u>	Slaves above Twelve <u>years old</u>
March 21	Robert D Wright	2		
Horses Mares Colts and Mules	Free <u>Negroes</u>		3	nation of Amount riages of Tax
1				.13

On November 7, 1844, Robert D. Wright filed in Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court, no file number, an accounting for \$10.91 due to him from Alexander Henry and his children and obtained a writ of attachment to secure collection of the amount due:

"Amherst County, to wit:
To the constable of the said county.

Whereas Robert D. Wright hath this day complained before me Benjamin B. Taliaferro - a justice of the peace for the said county, that Alexander S Henry and his children is indebted to him in the sum of ten dollars and ninety one cents with interest thereon from the 16th day of october 1844 and that the Said Alexander S Henry and children is removing out of the Said county privately So that the ordinary process of law cannot be served uppon him: These are therefore, in the name of the commonwelth, to require you to attach the estate of the Said Alexander S Henry and his children, or so much thereof as shall be of value sufficient to satisfy the said sum of ten dollars and ninety one cents, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of october 1844, and the costs; and such estate so attached in your hands to secure, or so to provide that the same may be liable to further proceedings thereon to be had at the next court to be held for this county; and that you then and there make returns how you have executed this warrant.

Given under my hand this 7th day of November 1844.

Benj. B Taliaferro (J.P)"

In order to obtain the writ, it was necessary to post a bond:

"Know all men by these presants, that we Robert D. Wright and C. B. Quisenberry - are held and firmly bound to Alexander S Henry and his children in the sum of twenty two dollars and eighty two cents of lawful money of virginia, to be paid to the said Alexander S Henry and his children their certain attorney, their executors, administrators or assigns; for the true payment whereof we bind ourselves jointly and severally, our joint and several heirs, executors, and administrators, firmly by these presants. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 7th day of November in the year of our Lord. 1844

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Robert D Wright hath this day obtained from Benjamin B. Taliaferro a justice of the peace for the county of amherst, an attachment against the estate of the above named Alexander S Henry and his children for the sum of ten dollars and ninety one cents with interest and costs, returnable to the next county court; if therefore the Said Robert D Wright, shall satisfy and pay all costs which shall be awarded to the said Alexander S Henry and his children in case the said Robert D Wright shall be cast in the said suit, and also all damages which shall

be recovered against the said Robert D Wright for his suing out this attachment then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Signed, Sealed and) Robt D. Wright delivered, before) C. B. Quisinberry" William C Aliens(?)

The sheriff filed his report of his attachment:

"Robert D. Wright) attachment vs) Alexander S Henry) & his Children)

I have attached one grey mare one horse cart & geer, one fether bed & two bedsteads 2 under beds & three counterpins, one chest one fendir one pare of andirons and one binding chain.

William Akins C.A. November 9th 1844

The defendant Alexander S Henry has appeared and given a replevey bond with George F. Henry Security -

William Akins C.A. November 9th 1844"

On November 19, 1844, at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court, no file number, in the case of Wright v. Henry, A. S. Henry denied that he was removing from the county and requested that the attachment of his property be dissolved:

"Amherst County Court Nov. Term 1844 A. S. Henry & Children adv Wright

And the said defendants in their own proper persons come and defend the wrong and injury when &c. and pray Judgment of the said attachment of the said Wright, because they say - that they the said defendants, on the day on which the said attachment was issued, or at any time before or since, were not removing out of the said County privately, so that the ordinary process of law could not be served upon them. And this they are ready to verify. Wherefore they pray Judgment of the attachment aforesaid, and that the same may be quashed &c.

Sworn to in open Court Nov 19th 1844

County of Amherst, to wit:

A. S. Henry this day made Oath before the undersigned a Justice of the peace in and for said County that the foregoing plea is true in substance & fact. Given under my hand this 19 of Nov. 1844

J.P."

On November 13, 1850, Robert Wright applied for bounty land by reason of his service in the War of 1812 in Pension File BLW 11558:

"Certificate Of Identity And Oath Of Service

State of Virginia)
County of Corporation of Lynchburg) SS

On the 13th day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace, duly authorized to administer oaths within, and for the corporation County and State aforesaid, Robert Wright aged 55 years, a resident of Amherst County, in the State of Virginia, who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Robert Wright who was a private in the Company, commanded by Captain Wm Lee - attached in the Regiment of Virginia Malitia commanded by Gen: I. H. Coke, in the war with Great Britain, declared by the United States, on the 18th day of June, 1812, that he was drafted at County of Campbell on or about the 3d day of August A.D. 1814 for the term of six months, and continued in actual service, in said war for the term of four mos:, and was honorably discharged at Charles City C. House on the 10th day of December A.D. 1814 as will appear by the evidence of Alexander. Asher his discharge being lost an honorable discharge was recd: but afterwards.

He makes his declaration for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land, to which he may be entitled under "the act of granting bounty land to certain officers and soldiers, who have been engaged in the military service of the United States, passed September 28th, 1850."

Robert Wright

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the day and year above written, and I hereby certify, that I believe the said Robert Wright to be the identical man, who served as aforesaid, and that he is of the age above stated.

Saml W. Shelton

Power Of Attorney.						
State of Virginia) Corporation of Lynchburg) SS						
Know all men by these presents, that I Robert Wright of the County of Amherst State of Virginia, do hereby irrevocably make, constitute and appoint P. W. Risque my true and lawful Attorney, (for me, and in my name, and for my benefit,) to demand and receive from the Department of the Interior of the United States, the certificate or warrant to which I may be entitled for my military services, as set forth in the accompanying declaration; and I furthermore, empower and authorize P. W. Risque to locate the above named certificate or warrant, and after located to sell or transfer such patent or land as obtained under the act passed, and approved by Congress on the 28th day of September, 1850. Hereby revoking all powers of Attorney, or other authority that may have been heretofore given by me, for the same purpose.						
Witness my hand and seal, this 13 day of November 1850						
S. F. Johnson) Robert Wright F. M. Dunnington) Attest						
On this 13 day of November one thousand eight hundred and fifty Rob. Wright personally appeared before me, Saml W. Shelton a Justice of the Peace, duly authorized by law to take acknowledgements in the County and State aforesaid, and acknowledged the above power of Attorney, to be his act and deed						
Saml W. Shelton (?)						
State of Virginia) County of Lynchburg) SS						
I James Benagh, Clerk of the Court in and for the Corpo and State, aforesaid do hereby certify, that Saml W. Shelton & Tim. Fletcher, esqr whose genuine signature appears above and reverse and before whom the foregoing declaration, affidavits, and power of Attorney, were made, and who have thereunto subscribed their names and the time of signing the same, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County and State aforesaid, duly commissioned and sworn, that all their official acts, as such, are entitled to full						

faith and credit, and that the aforesaid general jurisdiction.	Court is a Court of Record, having
Given under my hand and seal of office, at A.D. 18	Lynchburg this 13 day of February

James ____"

State of Virginia
County of Campbell & corporation of Lynchburg

On this 12 day of February A.D. one thousand Eight hundred & fifty one personally appeared before me. Timothy Fletcher a justice of the peace within and for the county and State & corporation aforesaid, Alexander Asher who being duly sworn according to law, declares, that, Robert Wright of the County of Amherst, and state aforesaid, is the identical man who was a private in the Company Commanded by Capt, Wm Lee, attached in the Regiment of Va Malitia commanded by General J. H. Cocke, in the war with Great Brittan declared by the united States on the 18th day of June A.D. 1812, that he was drafted from the county of Campbell, on or about the 3rd day of august A.D. 1814, and Served a tour in Said war and was honorably discharged at Charles Citty courthouse on or about the 11th day of December A.D. 1814, as sett forth in his within Declaration of oath.

Alexander Asher

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and date above written

Timothy Fletcher J.P."

This record indicates that Robert Wright was born in about 1795, was a resident on August 3, 1814, at probably Campbell County, Virginia, served in Captain Lee's Company of Virginia Militia in the War of 1812, and resided on November 13, 1850, in Amherst County, Virginia.

On March 10, 1855, Robert Wright applied for further bounty land by reason of his service in the War of 1812, the copy of which is also in Pension File BLW 11558:

"State of Virginia:) City of Lynchburg) Ss:

On this 10th day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace within and for the City and State aforesaid, Robert Wright, aged sixty years, a resident of Amherst in the State of

Virginia, who being sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Robert Wright who was a private in the Company commanded by Captain William Leigh in the 2nd Corps D of Virginia Militia commanded by Col. Moses Gre____ in the war with Great Britain, declared in 18_ that he went from Campbell county, Va. on or about the 30th day of August, 1814 for the term of ___ months and continued in actual service in said war for the term of three months _ 29 days and was honorably discharged at Charles City Ct. House on the 27th day of December 1814 as will appear by the muster rolls of said Company. He refers to his former Declaration and papers for further evidence, for which he received 40 acres of bounty land.

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land to which he may be entitled under the "act granting bounty land to certain officers and soldiers who have been engaged in the military service of the United States," passed March 3, 1855. He has received a bounty land warrant for forty acres, which he has sold _ assigned. He has never received or applied for _____ bounty land, under this or any other law of Congress except the forty acres above mentioned, and for the above service.

Witness Jas G Royall Robert Wright

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the day and year above written. I hereby certify, that I believe the said Robert Wright to be the identical man who served as aforesaid, and that he is of the age above stated. I am in no wise interest in this claim

John T. Shasmith, J.P.

We James G. Royall and Charles W. Stathome residents of Lynchburg, in the state of virginia upon our oaths proclam that the foregoing declaration was signed and acknowledged by Robert Wright in our presence; and that we believe from the appearance and statements of the applicant, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be

Jas G. Royall Chs W. Statham

Sworn to and subscribed before me the 9th day of May, 1855; and I certify that I know the affiants to be credible persons.

Jno A Bailey J.P."

This record also indicates that Robert Wright was born in about 1795, that he served in Captain Leigh's Company, and that he resided on March 10, 1855, in Amherst County, Virginia.

Included in Pension File BLW 11558 for Robert D. Wright was a copy of a pension claim dated July 27, 1855, by Mary (O'Neal) Wright, aged sixty odd years, a resident of King William County and the widow of Robert Wright, who was also a private in Captain Leigh's Company and married on December 1, 1820, at King William County, and that Robert Wright died on December 6, 1825. This second Robert Wright claim apparently caused some confusion and delay in the issuance of the bounty land warrant to Robert D. Wright.

The 1860 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Robert D. Wright with the following household on October 17, 1860:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	<u>Occu</u>	<u>pation</u>	Value of <u>Real Estate</u>
Ro D Wright Ellen Wright		65 60	M F		Black	Smith	
Eliza Wright Wm Wright Sinthia Wright		36 21 14	F M F	Laborer			
Value of Personal <u>Property</u>	Place of Birth		arried ithin ear	Atten Scho <u>Withi</u>		Cannot Read & <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb Blind <u>Insane etc.</u>
1450	Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia						

This record indicates that Robert D. Wright was born in about 1795 and that Eleanor (Hood) Wright was born in about 1800.

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Robert D. C. Wright with the following household on June 30, 1870:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	<u>Occupa</u>		Value of Real Estate
Robert D C Wright Ellen Wright Mary Kersey Wesley Kersey Eliza J. Kersey		75 70 34 14 16	M F F M F	W W W W	Wheelwright K. House K House At Home At Home		300
Value of Personal <u>Property</u>	Place of <u>Birth</u>		Marrie Within <u>Year</u>		Born Within <u>Year</u>	Attended School <u>Within Year</u>	Cannot <u>Read</u>
	Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia						1
Cannot <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb I Insane or Idi			ale Citi ver 21		e Citizen Over 2 out Right to Vo	
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This record indicates that Robert D. Wright was born in about 1795 and that Ellen (Hood) Wright was born in about 1800.

On May 20, 1871, Robert Wright filed his declaration for a pension in right of his service in the War of 1812 in Pension File WC 11583:

"War of 1812 Declaration for Pension State of Virginia) City of Lynchburg) SS

On this 20 day of May A.D. One thousand eight hundred and Seventy one, personally appeared before me, A. M. Davis, a Notary Public for the city and state aforesaid, Robert Wright aged Seventy six years, a resident of Amherst

County near Lynchburg, State of Virginia who, being by me, duly sworn according to law, declares that he is married, that his wife's name was Eleanor Hood to whom he was married at Mount Zion Va. on the 9 day of November 1820; that he served the full priod of sixty days in the military service of the united States in the war of 1812, that he is the identical Robert Wright who was enrolled in Captain Wm Leigh's Company 119th regiment Gen Cocke's command division at Reed's old Cove Campbell Va on or about the 18 day of August 1814 and was honorably discharged at Richmond Va on or about the 19 day of December 1814 that he was in actual service at and near Charles City Court House Virginia that he at no time during the late rebellion against the authority of the united States, adhered to the cause of the enemies of the Government giving them aid or comfort or exercised the functions of any office whatever under any authority or pretended authority in hostility to the United States; that he is not in receipt of a pension under any previous act; that he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension roll of the United States under the provisions of the act approved February 14, 1871 and he hereby constitutes and appoints with full power of substitution and revocation P. A. Krise of Lynchburg, Va. his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim and procure the issuance of a pension certificate to him; that his post office is at Lynchburg county of Campbell State of Virginia; that his domicile or place of abode is near Lynchburg in Amherst Va. about three miles from the City of Lynchburg

Attest: Isaac R. Reynolds Chas W Statham Robert Wright Applicant.

Also personally appeared Isaac R. Reynolds residing at Lynchburg, Campbell Co. Va. and Chas W. Statham residing at Lynchburg, Campbell Co. Va persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit and who being by me duly sworn, say: They were present and saw Robert Wright the claimant sign his name to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of the said Claimant and their acquaintance with him that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; that at no time during the late rebellion against the authority of the united States did he adhere to the cause of the enemies of the Government, giving them aid or comfort; and that they have no interests in the prosecution of this claim.

Isaac R. Reynolds Chas W Statham Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20 day of May A.D. 1871 and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration &c were fully made known and explained to the afficants claim

Isaac R. Reynolds Chas V. Stathmon

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20 day of May A.D. 1871 and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration &c were fully made Known and explained to the applicants and witnesses before swearing, including the words "or about" added and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim and also including the words "brigade" "division" erased.

A. M. Davis Notary Public for the City of Lynchburg, State of Virginia

Note See "Pay Roll Captain William Leigh's company of the Second Corps D'Elite in the service of the United States at Camp Charles City Courthouse commanded by Col. Moses Green from 30 August to 27 December 1814". He also received land warrant for 120 acres No. 11.558 dated 13 Aug/55 and signed J. Minot Comr., War 1912."

This record indicates that Robert Wright was born in about 1795, that he married Eleanor Hood on November 9, 1820, at Mount Zion, Virginia, and that he resided on May 20, 1871, about 3 miles from Lynchburg in Amherst County, Virginia.

On July 15, 1871, Robert Wright filed a second declaration for a pension in Pension File WC 11583:

"War of 1812 Declaration for Pension under Act of February 14, 1871.

State of Virginia)
City of Lynchburg) SS

On this 15 day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and Seventy one, personally appeared before me Samuel D. Preston, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Lynchburg, a Court of record within and for the City and State aforesaid, Robert Wright aged Seventy Six years a resident of the County of Amherst state of Virginia about three miles from Lynchburg who being duly sworn according to law declares that he is married: that his wifes name was Elinor Hood to whom he was married at Mount Zion Church, Buckingham Co. on the 9th day of November 1820: that he served the full period of sixty days in the military service of the united States in the war of 1812: that he is the identical

Robert Wright who was enrolled in Captain William Leigh's company in the regiment of Colonel Moses Green at Richmond Va on the 29 day of August 1814 and was honorably discharged at Richmond on or about the 17 day of December 1814. that he was at Camp Charles City Courthouse Virginia: that he received two land warrants which he sold that he at no time during the late rebellion against the authority of the United States, adhered to the cause of the enemies of the Government giving them aid or comfort or exercised the functions of any office whatever under any authority or pretended authority in hostility to the united States: that he will (?) support the Constitution of the United States that he is not in receipt of a pension under any previous act. that he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension roll of the united States under the provisions of the act approved February 14, 1871 and he hereby constitutes and appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation. P. A. Krise of Lynchburg Virginia, his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim and procure the issuance of a pension certificate to him. That his Post office address in Lynchburg county of Campbell State of Virginia and his domicile or place of abode is Amherst County about three and a half miles from Lynchburg Virginia

Attest: Geo E. Wills Isaac R. Reynolds

Robert Wright

Also personally appeared George E. Wills residing at Wrights Shop county of Amherst State of Virginia and Isaac R Reynolds residing at Edgewoods (?) county of Amherst state of Virginia, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit and who being by me duly sworn, say: They were present and saw Robert Wright the claimant sign his name to the foregoing declaration, that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be: that at no time during the late rebellion against the authority of the United States did he adhere to the cause of the enemies of the Government, giving them aid or comfort: and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

Geo. E. Wills Isaac R. Reynolds

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15 day of July A.D. 1871 and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration &c were fully made known and explained to this applicant and witnesses before swearing and that I have no interest direct or indirect in the prosecution of this claim.

Given under my hand and the seal of the said Court the day and year last above written.

Sam. D. Preston Clerk

I, Geo R Buffun U.S. Commissioner for the District of Virginia do hereby certify that after a careful investigation I am convinced that Geo E. Wills and Isaac R. Reynolds who testify to the loyalty of Robert Wright in application for Survivors pension under Act of Congress approved February 14 1871, at no time during the late rebellion against the authority of the United States, adhered to the cause of the enemies of the Government giving them aid and Comfort, or exercised the functions of any Office whatever, under any authority or pretended authority in hostility in the United States

In testimony whereof I herewith place my hand and Seal at the City of Lynchburg State of Virginia, this 19 day of July A.D. 1871

Geo R Buffum US Commissioner District of Virginia"

This record clarifies that the marriage of Robert Wright and Eleanor Hood were married in Buckingham County.

On March 23, 1878, Ellen Wright filed her application in Pension File WC 11583 for a widow's pension in right of the service of her husband Robert Wright, who had died on February 4, 1873:

"War Of 1812

Claim of Widow for Pension, under the Provisions of Sections 4736 to 4740 inclusive Revised Statutes, and the Act of March 9, 1878.

State of Virginia)
City of Lynchburg) ss

On this 23 day of March, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and Seventy eight personally appeared before me, S. Pallinters Clerk U. S. Court for western district of Virginia the same being a Court of Record within and for the county and State aforesaid, (1) Ellen Wright aged Seventy Six years, a resident of Amherst County, in the State of Virginia, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that she is a widow of (2) Robert Wright deceased, who was the identical (3) Robert Wright, who served under the name of (4) Robert Wright as a (5) private in the company commanded by Captain Wm Leigh, in the regiment of Virginia militia, commanded by Col. Moses Green in the war of 1812; that her

said husband (6) enlisted at Buckingham County on or about the 29 day of August, A.D. 1814, for the term of three mos and continued in actual service in said war for the term of (7) three mos 17 days, and whose services terminated, by reason of (8) honorable discharge at Charles City C. H., on the 19 day of December, A.D. 1814. She further states that the following is a full description of her said husband at the time of his enlistment, viz: (9) Age about 20 years occupation Blacksmith height 6 ft. Eyes dark hazel Hair dark brown. She further states that she was married to the said Robert Wright, at her fathers house, in the county of Buckingham, and in the State of Virginia, on or about the 15 day of November A.D. 1820, by one (10) Rev. Thos. Burgh, who was a (11) minister of the Gospel and that her name before her said marriage was Ellen Hood, and that she has not remarried since the death of the said soldier; and she further states that (12) neither she nor her said husband had been previously married and that her said husband (13) Robert Wright, died in Amherst County, in the State of Virginia, on the 4 day of February, A.D. 1873; and she further declares that the following have been the places of residence of herself and her said husband since the date of his discharge from the Army, viz: (14) near Stonewall Mills Buckingham County va eight years then Folly Amherst County Va. three years then to Glade Road Amherst (?) County two years then to Campbell County Va one year then to Amherst County va then to present residence where she has lived for years. She makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the pension to which she may be entitled under the provisions of Sections 4736 to 4740 inclusive Revised Statutes, and the Act of March 9, 1878, and hereby constitutes and appoints with full power of substitution and revocation, A. W. Davies of Lynchburg va. her true and lawful attorney, to prosecute her claim and she further declares that she has heretofore made no application for (15) bounty land or pension that her husband received bounty land and also received pension under act of Feby 14 1871 Certificate No. 11592 and that her residence is on Glade Road 5 miles from Galt's Mills county of Amherst, State of Virginia, and that her post-office address is Lynchburg Campbell County Virginia

Attest	her
C. E. Feagans	Ellen X Wright
Mohesrey	mark

Also personally appeared C. E. Feagans, aged 47 years, residing in Amherst County va five miles from Lynchburg, and McHenry Mays, aged 43 years, residing Amherst County va. five miles from Lynchburg, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they have known the said Ellen Wright for 22 years and for 30 years, respectively; that they were present and saw her make her mark to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with her, that she is the identical person she represents herself to be; and they further say that they are able to identify her as the person who was the wife of the identical (16) Robert Wright, who rendered

the service alleged in the above application (in the company of Captain Wm Leigh, in the regiment of Col. Moses Green, in the war of 1812) by the following-named facts and circumstaces, viz: (17) have lived near by her for years and have seen her often and also Knew her deceased husband for years and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

C. E. Feagans McHenry Mays

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23 day of March, A.D. 1871; and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

S. Patterson Clerk U. S. Dist. Ct. W. Dist. of Va. At Lynchburg Va."

This record indicates that Eleanor or Ellen (Hood) Wright was born in 1802, that she and Robert Wright resided from 1820 to 1828 near Stonewall Mills, Buckingham County, Virginia, from 1828 to 1831 at Folly, Amherst County, Virginia, from 1831 to 1833 to Glade Road, Amherst County, Virginia, 1834 at Campbell County, Virginia, from 1835 to 1878 three miles from Lynchburg in Amherst County, Virginia, and that Robert Wright died on February 4, 1873, at Amherst County, Virginia.

Enclosed with the application in Pension File WC 11583 was the declaration of S. C. Wright dated July 30, 1878:

"State of Virginia)
City of Lynchburg) to wit:

I, S. Patterson Clerk of the united states court for the western district of virginia do certify that S. C. Wright a resident of Brookville township Campbell County virginia personally appeared before me and made oath that he is fifty three years of age in September 1878. that he was born in September 1825. that he was well acquainted with Robert Wright the husband of Ellen Wright who is now applying for a pension under act of March 9 1878. that he knew him for many years to the time of his death. that the said Robert Wright and Ellen Wright to his Knowledge lived together as husband and wife for forty years and raised a family of children the oldest of whom is fifty seven years and the youngest now living is thirty eight years. That the said Robert Wrights and Ellen Wright, lived together as husband and wife to the day of his death and that she has never married but remains his widow, that he has seen record of this marriage in the family bible, to

wit. Novo. 9 1820. That he never heard any questions as to the marriage of said parties above named. that they were universally Known and respected as husband and wife and he never heard the fact of this marriage questioned but it was universally admitted. That he has no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

S. C. Wright

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 30 July 1878 and I certify that the above affiant is of good character and his Statements as above worthy of full faith and that contents of above affidavit was made known to him before signing. Given under my hand & Seal.

J. Patterson Clk US Ct"

Also enclosed with the application in Pension File WC 11583 was the declaration of F. H. Wright in support of the application:

"State of Virginia)
City of Lynchburg) to wit:

J. S. Patterson Clerk of the united States court for the western district of virginia do certify that F. H. Wright a resident of Amherst county va three miles from Lynchburg personally appeared before me in my city aforesaid and made oath that he is was fifty five years of age on the 20th of July 1878. that he is the Son of Robert Wright and Ellen Wright the former of whom was pensioned before his death under act of Feby 14 1871 the latter of whom is now applying for pension under act of March 9th 1878, this his father and mother were married according to the family record in the bible herewith submitted November 9" 1820 that he has been unable to obtain any official record of said marriage that the said Robert Wright and Ellen Wright lived together as husband and wife to the date of his death, that the said Ellen Wright has not remarried since the death of her husband but remains his widow. That the said Robert Wright was Known as Robert D. Wright Sometimes though he often omitted the D. in signing his name. that the Said Ellen Wright's maiden name was Eleanor T. Hood, she usually signing as Ellen Wright, that he has no interest in prosecution of this claim that Robert Wright made the record of the births and marriage in the bible herewith that he has no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

F. H. Wright

Subscribed & Sworn to before me and I certify that the contents of the foregoing affidavit was made Known to the affiant before Signing and that he is

respectable and worthy of credit in his foregoing statement. Given under my hand & seal this 31 July 1878

S. Patterson Ct"

And finally enclosed with the application in Pension File 11583 was the declaration of Joseph Porter dated October 23, 1878:

"I, S. Patterson Clerk of the united States Court for the western district of virginia do certify that Joseph Porter whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit in his statement personally appeared before me and made oath to the following Statement. That he is fifty one years of age resides in Amherst county va. about three miles from Lynchburg That he is well acquainted with Ellen Wright widow of Robert Wright who is now applying for pension under act of March 9" 1878, that he has Known her for eleven years. That he also knew her husband the Said Robert Wright. That he knew him for five years to the date of his death. That he died Feby 4th 1872 that he was present at his burial having hauled his remains to the grave and helping to bury him. that he saw the remains of said Robert Wright prepared for interment. That from his acquaintance with said Robert Wright and the said Ellen Wright beginning in 1867 and continuing with said Robert Wright to the date of his death and contining with said Ellen Wright to the present time. They lived together as husband and wife and he never heard their marriage questioned said marriage being as far as he knows or has heard unquestioned and universally admitted. That he is acquainted with several children of the said Robert Wright and Ellen Wright who are above the age of fifty years and that he never heard their paternity or maternity questioned. That he has no interest in the prosecution of this claim. this 20 October 1878

Joseph Porter

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 23d day of October 1878 and I certify that the contents of the foregoing Statement were carefully made known to the affiant before Swearing and that I have no interest in the prosecution of this claim. Given under my hand and the seal of my court this 23d October 1878

S Patterson Clerk of U.S. Courts"

Also enclosed with the application in Pension File WC 11583 was the declaration of Eliza Jane Wright, F. H. Wright and S. C. Wright dated October 29, 1878:

"I, S Patterson Clerk of united states court for western district of virginia do certify that Eliza Jane Wright F. H. Wright. S. C. Wright who reside in the vicinity of Lynchburg va and whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit

personally appeared before me this 29th day of October 1878 and made oath to following to wit: That they are 57, 55 & 53 years of age respectively, that they are children of Robert Wright and Ellen Wright the latter of whom the said Ellen Wright is applying for pension under act of March 9th 1878. That they were born during the lawful wedlock of said Robert and Ellen Wright. That from their earliest recollections their said father and mother lived together as husband and wife to the day of said father's death which occurred Feby 4th 1872 that they were present at the burial of the said Robert Wright and saw him after his death previous to his burial. That the family bible previously sent to the Comr. of Pensions containing record of the date of the marriage of Robert Wright and Ellen Hood was genuine record made by said Robert Wright. That they have been unable to get certified copy of any county or church record of said marriage the court house of Buckingham County va. where marriage license was issued having been destroyed by fire with its records. That they have been unable to get affidavit of the clergyman officiating or the testimony of eye witnesses as owing to great length of time which has elapsed they can find no living witnesses of the marriage and the clergyman having died who performed the ceremony as they have ascertained That they in presenting this family record in the bible and this testimony as living proof of said marriage have furnished the best testimony that can be produced. That the said Ellen Wright has not remarried since the death of her said husband but remains his widow. That they never heard any question of the marriage of their said father and mother that they were universally recognized as husband and wife from their earliest recollection which extends back at least forty years. That they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim. That the place of residence of Elvya Jane Wright and F. H. Wright is in Amherst county va about four miles from Lynchburg va. and of S. C. Wright in Campbell county, va. about 3-1/2 miles from Lynchburg, that their post office is Lynchburg. va. That their father the said Robert Wright was in receipt of a pension under act of Feby 14th 1871 up to time of his death.

Witness: her
R. K. Hargrove Elvya Jane X Wright
T. T. Gaines mark
F. H. Wright
S. C. Wright

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 29th October 1878 and I certify that the contents of the foregoing affidavit were carefully made known to affiants before signing and swearing. That the word "death" was erased and the word "marriage" added before affidavits were made oath to. That I am satisfied that copy of bible such was genuine record. That I have no interest in the prosecution of this claim. Given under my hand and the seal of my court this 29th day of October 1878 and I further certify that D. T. Staples whom I certify to be respectable and worthy of credit also personally appeared before me and made oath that he is fifty seven years of age that he resides in Lynchburg va.

that he has known Ellen Wright the widow of Robert Wright who is now applying for pension under act of March 9 1878 for at least forty years. That he also know her late husband the said Robert Wright for thirty four years up to his death. That they lived together as husband and wife for at least 34 years from his earliest recollection and had and raised a family of children whom he is well acquainted with having known the said children during his lifetime. That he has never heard any question of the marriage of said Robert and Ellen Wright but knows that they were universally recognized as husband and wife from his earliest recollection to the death of said Robert Wright which occurred in 1872. That the said Ellen Wright has not remarried since her said husband's death but continues his widow. That he has no interest in the prosecution of this claim

D. T. Staples

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th october 1878 and I certify that contents of foregoing affidavit were carefully made known to D. T. Staples before signing and swearing and that I have no interest in the prosecution of this claim. Given under my hand and the seal of my court this 29th day of october 1878

S. Patterson Clerk U. S. Courts"

Enclosed with the application in Pension File WC 11583 was a copy of the Family Bible of Robert D. Wright with the following family information:

"Copy of Bible record. Bible returned to claimant on Mch 12 1879.

Wheeler

Title Page

The Holy Bible containing the Old and New Testaments: Translated out of The Original Tongues, and with the Former Translations diligently compared and revised Stereotype Edition. New York. Stereotyped by A. Chandler. For the American Bible Society.

[Nonpareil 12 ans.] 1837

Bought Septr 12 1838 price \$5.50 cents

Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795 Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

Eliza Jane Wright was Born Septr 3 1821

Faalding Hobson Wright was Born July 20 1823

Sterling Charles Wright was Born Septr 10 1825
David Staples Wright was Born July 19 1828
Thomas Wright was Born Jany 7 1831 and departed this life October 22 1840
Mary Ann Wright Wright was Born 19th of October 1833
Robt Doss Wright was Born June 2, 1836
William Poncel Wright was Born may 9 1840
Cynthia Ann Wright daughter of the same was Born October 22th 1844"

On October 23, 1879, by Amherst County, Virginia, Deed SS/73 Ellen Wright, the widow of Robert D. Wright, received a deed from Robert and Angelina T. Isbell for a tract of land paid for by Robert D. Wright during his lifetime:

"This Indenture entered into 23d day of October in the year of our Lord 1879 between Robt. Isbell and Angelina T, his wife of the first part and Ellen Wright, widow of Robt. D. Wright deceased, of the second part, witnesseth: that the said Robt. Isbell and Angelina T., his wife, for and in consideration of the sum of One hundred and fifty dollars, heretofore paid by the said Robt. D. Wright in his life time & the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do grant and convey unto the said Ellen Wright a certain small tract of land lying and being in the County of Amherst, at the junction of the Galts Mill & Glade Roads, about three and one half miles north of Lynchburg and five miles west of Galts Mills; and bounded as follows: Begginning at a large Chestnut the Blacksmith's shop, and running thence S.43' E.26-1/2 poles to a large Spanish Oak, thence S.55 E.46-1/2 poles to a stake, thence a new line N.23 E.64 ps. to a stake, thence N. 74 W.40 ps. to a small Post Oak stump, corner to Henry W. Anderson, thence S.47 W.52-1/2 ps. to the beginning and adjoining the lands of the said Henry W. Anderson, Fielding H. Wright, Joseph Porter, the said Robt. Isbell and others, to-gether with all the appurtenances and privileges thereto belonging. The said small parcell of land being a part of the large tract Known as the Carver tract. The heirs at law of the said Robt. D. Wright, having requested the conveyance of the said land to be made to the widow of the said Robt. D. Wright, as aforesaid to have and to hold to his and his heirs forever, such right, title and interest, as the said Robt. Isbell and Angelina T, his wife have in and to the said land and all the privileges and appurtenances, thereto belonging. Witness the following signatures and seals.

> Robt. Isbell Angelina T. Isbell

State of Virginia County of Appomattox to wit:

We Thomas B. Moore & T. H. Fisher Justices of the Peace in and for the County of Appomattox in the State aforesaid do certify that Angelina T. the wife of Robt. Isbell, whose names are signed to the writing above bearing date on the 23d day of Oct 1879, personally appeared before us in the County and State aforesaid

and being examined by us privily and apart from her husband and having the writing aforesaid fully explained to her, she acknowledged the said writing to be her act and declared that she had willingly executed the same and does not wish to retract it. And we do also certify that at the same time & place the said Robt. Isbell also, in our presence acknowledged the said writing. Given under our hands this 21st day of Octo in the year of our Lord 1879.

Thos. B. Moore J.P. F. H. Fisher J.P.

In the Clerks Office of Amherst County Court, Aug. 20 1888. This deed was this day received in said Office and to-gether with the certificate of the acknowledgment of the parties thereto admitted to such.

Teste Ch. L. Ellis Clk. Acopy - Teste: Ch. L. Ellis, Clerk"

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Ellen Wright with the following household on June 3, 1880:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Color</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	Month o	of <u>Relationship</u>
Ellen Wright Mary Cary Eliza Cary Wesley Cary		W W W	F F M	78 40 23 21		daughter daughter son
Marital Status W W S S	Married During <u>Year</u>	Occupation keeps hou at home at home at home		Uı	onths nem- oyed	Sickness Blind Deaf & Dumb Idiotic Disabled

Attended School Within Year	Cannot <u>Read</u>	Cannot <u>Write</u>	Born	Father <u>Born</u>	Mother <u>Born</u>
			Virginia	Va	Va
			Virginia	Va	Va
			Virginia	Va	Va
			Virginia	Va	Va

On about January 7, 1889, at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, Fielding H. Wright, a son of Robert D. Wright, filed suit for his intestate share of that land, alleging that title had been mistakenly conveyed by the Isbells to the widow, that Ellen (_____) Wright died in 1883, and that the children of Robert D. Wright were Fielding H. Wright, Daniel S. Wright, Robert D. Wright, Mary Ann Casey, and Cynthia A. Linthicum:

"To The Hon. Jno. D. Horsley judge of the Circuit Court of Amherst County.

Your orator F. H. Wright, humbly complaining, showeth unto the Court, that your orator's father, Robert D. Wright, sometime previous to the year 1879, purchased of one Robt. Isbell and Angelina T. his wife, a tract of land in Amherst County and paid the purchase price agreed on for said land, but that no deed was executed to him, that after the death of your orator's said father, the said Robt D. Wright, to wit: on the 23d day of October in the year 1879, the said Robt. Isbell and Angelina T. his wife did, under a mistaken impression, execute a deed to said land to Ellen Wright the widow of said Robert D. Wright and the mother of your orator, instead of executing the same, as it was proper and legal that it should be executed, to your orator and the other heirs at law of said Robert D. Wright who died intestate and leaving as his heirs at law your orator, Danl S. Wright, Robert D. Wright, Mary Ann Wright who is now Mary Ann Casey and Cynthia A. Wright who is now Cynthia A. Linthicum. A teste copy of which said deed is herewith filed as part of this Bill marked A. Your orator farther shows that sometime in the year 1883 Your orators mother, the said Ellen Wright departed this life intestate and in possession of the tract of land aforesaid wh. contains about 27 acres, leaving your orator and Danl. S. Wright and Robt. D. Wright and Mary Ann Casey and Cynthia A. Linthicum, his only children and heirs at law. Your orator farther states that the said real estate is, as he beleives, not susuptable of partition in Kind amongst the parties thereto entitled and that the interests of all will be best subserved by a sale of said real estate and a division of the proceeds. In tender consideration whereof your orator prays that the said Danl. S. Wright, Robt. D. Wright, Mary Ann Casey & ____ Casey her husband who is a foreign defendant, and Cynthia A. Linthicum and N. Linthicum her husband may be made parties defendant to this bill and required upon their oaths to answer the same, that a notice of publication be issued against said

foreign defendant and that all proper process issue; and that the sum of \$30 be decreed to his counsel, as a fee for his services in this case, out of the general funds that the said real estate be sold and the proceeds divided between the several parties thereto entitled and that all such other, farther and general relief may be afforded your orator as the nature of his case may require or to equity shall seem much, And your orator will ever pray etc.

Jno. L. Lee p.q."

On January 7, 1889, at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, a summons was issued against the heirs of Robert D. Wright to answer the complaint of Fielding H. Wright:

"The Commonwealth of Virginia, To the Sheriff of Nelson County, Greeting:

We Command You that you summon D. S. Wright Robt D. Wright Mary Anne Casey & ____ Casey her husband & Cynthia A Linthicum & ___ Linthicum her husband to appear at the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Amherst County, at the Courthouse thereof, at rules to be holden for said court, on the third Monday in Feby. next, to answer a bill in chancery, exhibited in said Court, against them by S H Wright And have then there this writ

Witness, R. A. Pendleton, Clerk of said Court, at the Courthouse of said County, this 7 day of Jan 1889, in the 113 year of the Commonwealth.

R A Pendleton Clerk.

Executed in Robert D Wright Feby 13/89 & on D S Wright Feby 20/89 by delivering to each an office copy of within spa in chg

M K Estes S.N.C"

On January 7, 1889, at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, Jonathan S. Lee filed his affidavit that Mary Ann (Wright) Casey and her husband were not residents of Virginia:

"In the clerks office of the circuit court of Amherst County, 7th Jan. 1889.

This day, Jno. S. Lee, appeared beforeme in my office, and made oa6th that to the best of his knowledge an belief - that ____ Casey the husband of Mary Ann Casey, whose first name is unknown, is a non resident of the State of Virginia.

R. A. Pendleton clerk"

Sometime after January 10, 1889, at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, the affidavit of publication against the absent defendants was filed: "Virginia: In the Court's office of the Circuit Court of Amherst County on the 7th day of January, 1889 F. H. Wright VS D. S. Wright, Robt. D Wright, Mary Ann Casey) In Chancery. and Casey her husband, and Cynthia A. Linthicum her husband The object of this suit is to obtain a decree of the Circuit Court of Amherst County directing a partition or sale for division, of the land in the bill mentioned. and a distribution of the proceeds amongst those entitled. And it appering by affidavit filed that Casey the husband of Mary Ann Casey, whose first name is unknown, is a non-resident of this State, it is ordered that he do appear here within fifteen days after the publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit A copy - Teste:

A copy - Teste: T. A. Pendleton, Clerk Jno. I. Lee, p.g.

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I Ro. A. Pendleton, clerk of the circuit court of Amherst County do certify that the within order was duly posted as the law directs

On April 11, 1889, at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, Cynthia A. (Wright) Linthicum and her husband N. A. Linthicum filed their answer to the

complaint and alleged that Ellen (____) Wright had conveyed two acres to them during her lifetime and they had improved the land and claimed no interest in the remainder:

"In the Circuit Court for The County of Amherst Settig in Chancery

The answer of N. A. Linthicum and Cynthia A. his wife to a bill in equity exhibited against them and others in the said Court by F. H Wright

These respondents for answer to the said bill or to so much thereof as they are advised it is material for them to make answer, answering say.

It is true that this female respondent is the daughter of Ro. D. Wright and that he died intestate, that they do not know whether or not the deed mentioned in the complainants bill should or should not have been made to Ro D Wright instead of being made as it appears to have been made and upon all of these questions they call for proof

As to the interests of these defendants in the land in question these respondents say that some years ago the grantee in the deed exhibited with complainants bill assuming to be owoner of the lands involved in this suit and claiming the right to dispose of the same and these respondents believing that she had such right & power never having seen a deed to said property and no such deed having been recorded at that time, did give a small lot of said land to these respondents near what is known as Wrights Shop supposed to contain about two acres of ground upon which, by their joint labor and enterprise they have put valuable improvements to the amount of at least five hundred dollars in good faith, they believing the same to belong to them. These respondents claim this lot as theirs and claim no interest in the lands in question.

And having fully answered they pray to be hence dismissed with their costs by them about their defense in this behalf expended.

Virginia, Amherst Cty to wit.

N. A. Linthicum made oath to the truth of the foregoing answer this 11th April 1889 in my county & state aforesaid before the B. B. Harrison a Notary public. Witness my hand this 11th April 1889.

B. B. Harrison, J.P."

In April 1889 at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, the court ordered a sale of the property by a commissioner:

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"Wright )
v. ) Decree April Term
Wright )
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This cause which has been set for hearing as to all the resident defendants and on the order of publication executed as to the non resident, came on this day to be heard on the bill and exhibits, on the answer of the Defendants N. A. Linthicum and Cynthia A. his wife, on the bill taken for confessed as to the other resident defendants and on the order of publication executed as to the non resident & was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof, the Court, not deciding any thing in this cause as to the house & 2 acres claimed by said N. A. Linthicum & wife in their answer in this cause, doth adjudge order and decree that Jno. L. Lee who is hereby appointed a Commr. for the purpose do after due advertising by hand bills for four weeks, proceed to sell the land in the bill mentioned, except the house & 2 acres above mentioned, at public auction, at Amherst Court house on County Court day or in the premises, as he may deem best, to the highest bidder for Cash to pay costs of such & sale including a fee of \$30.00 to Jno. L. Lee for his services as counsel in this case & as to the residue on a credit of one two and three years, taking from the purchaser bonds, with good personal security, bearing interest from day of sale and containing waiver of homestead exemptions & title retained till the whole purchase money shall have been paid. But said Commr. shall not act under this decree till he shall have entered into a bond before the Clerk of this Court with personal security to be approved by said Clerk in the penalty of \$600.00 conditioned for the faithful performance of his duty as said Commr. And said Commr. shall make report of his proceedings to this Court."

In April 1890 at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, the court ordered the division of the sale proceeds among the heirs:

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"Wright )
vs. ) Decree Apl. Term 1890
Wright et als )
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This cause came on this day to be again heard upon the papers formerly read & the report of sale of Commis. Jno. L. Lee and was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth confirm said report and doth adjudge, order & decree that Jno. L. Lee the Comms. heretofore appointed in this cause and who is hereby appointed a Receiver for the purpose, do withdraw from the papers in this cause the bonds of F. H. Wright, leaving, however, attested coppies of the same, in the hands of the Clk. of this Court, and proved to collect the same and distribute the fund amongst those entitled as follows. Said Receiver shall first pay the balance of the costs of this suit and then distribute the balance equally between F. H. Wright, Danl. S. Wright, Robt. D. Wright, & Mary Ann Casey - who as the heirs at law of Robt. D. Wright decd, are the only

parties thereto entitled, the only remaining heirs at law, Cynthia A. Lynthicum, having by her answer filed in this cause disclaimed & renounced all interest in this fund. And the receiver shall make report to this Court of his proceedings."

On September 22, 1890, Fielding H. Wright and his wife Sarah D. Wright sold the same land to E. L. Dameron after having purchased it from the commissioner:

"This deed, made this 22ond. day of Sept. in the year 1890, between F. H. Wright and Sarah D., his wife, of the first part, and E. L. Dameron of the second part,

Witnesseth:

That for and in consideration of the sum of \$50.00, in hand paid by the party of the second part to the parties of the first part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said parties of the first part do, by these presents, bargain, sell, grant and convey unto the said party of the second part all their right, title and interest in and to a certain tract of land in the County of Amherst, in the state of Virginia, which was recently purchased by the said F. H. Wright of Jno. L. Lee, Commr. in the chancery suit of Wright vs. Wright, and upon which the said F. H. Wright paid the cash payment of \$50.00, it being the intention of this deed to substitute the said party of the second part to the equity of redemption and all other rights of the parties of the first part to the said tract of land. In testimony whereof witness the following signatures and seals the day and year first above written.

F. H. Wright

her

Sarah D + Wright

mark

Virginia. City of Lynchburg, to-wit:-

I, H. L. Cheatham, a Notary Public, in and for the City aforesaid, in the state of Virginia, do certify that F. H. Wright and Sarah D., his wife, whose names are signed to the writing above, bearing date on the 22ond. day of Sept. in the year 1890, have acknowledged the same before me in my city aforesaid

Given under my hand this 29 day of Sept 1890.

H. L. Cheatham Notary Public."

In October 1890 at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, the commissioner filed his report of the sale of the real property:

"Wright)
vs) Comms. Report
Wright et als)

To the Hon. Jno D Horsley Judge of the Circuit Court of Amherst County.

Your Commissioners, Jno. L. Lee, respectfully reports that in pursuance with a decree of said Court entered in this cause at its April term of 1889, Your Commr did, on the 15th day of July 1889 offer the property involved in this cause, for sale at public auction, and that F. H. Wright became the purchaser thereof at the price of Two hundred dollars-

Your Commissioner has received of the said purchaser the sum of Fifty dollars in cash and has taken for the deferred payments his three bonds at one, two & three years for Fifty dollars cash which are herewith filed as part of this report.

Statement of disbursement of Cash.

To Amt. Cash payment	\$50.00	
Cr.		
By amt paid "Era" for "Notice Publication"		7.00
" " for advertising sales		2.00
" " Auctioneer		2.50
" " Clerks fees		10.00
" Counsels fee (as per decree)		30.00
" Comms on \$200.00		<u>10.00</u>
		61.50
Balance due Comms. by fund	\$11.50	

Respectfully Submitted Jno. L. Lee Comms."

In October 1890 at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, the court ordered the conveyance of the real property to E. L. Dameron:

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"Wright )
vs ) Decree - Oct. T. 1890.
Wright )
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This cause came on this day to be again heard upon the papers formerly read & upon a deed from F. H. Wright & wife to E. L. Dameron, and it appearing to the Court from the said deed that the said F. H. Wright, the purchasers of the land heretofore sold in this cause, has conveyed all of his interest in said land to one E. L. Dameron, the Court doth adjudge order and decree that Jno. L. Lee, who is hereby appointed a commissioner for the purpose, upon the payment of the balance of the purchase money to him as receiver, do execute to said E. L.

Dameron, at the expense of the fund in this cause, a special warranty deed to said land."

In April 1891 at Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, the commissioner reported that Mary Ann Casey refused to yield possession of the land to E. L. Dameron:

"Wright vs. Wright Commrs. Report

The undersigned Commr. heretofore appointed in this cause respectfully submits the following report.

By a decree, entered in this cause at the Oct. term of 1890 of this court, E. L. Dameron was constituted a substitute purchaser of the land previously sold in this suit to one F. H. Wright, and both of these gentlemen having fully complied with the terms of sale etc. the said E. L. Dameron is now and has for some time been entitled to the possession of the said land and its appurtenances, yet notwithstanding these facts one Mary Ann Casey who is a party to this suit and in possession of a portion of the said land, refuses to yield the possession of said land to the said Dameron although often requested so to do.

Your Commr, further shows to the Court that this was a suit for sale for partition of the land in question, that the said Mary Ann Casey was a party to the suit, that she filed no answer and quietly submitted to a sale of the land which she now withholds from the purchaser.

Your Commr. asks that the said E. L. Dameron be placed in possession of the said land at once."

In April 1891 in Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, the Court ordered that the sheriff eject Mary Ann Casey from the premises:

"Wright vs. Wright Order Apl.T.91

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read and upon the report of Coomr. Jno. L. Lee and was argued by counsel.

And it appearing to the Court from the said report that one Mary Ann Casey, a party to this suit, is unlawfully withholding from E. L. Dameron the purchaser of the land heretofore sold in this cause, a portion of the said land, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that the said Mary Ann Casey do at once render unto the said Dameron the posession of the said land, and should she fail so to do within thirty days from the rising of this court, it is ordered by the court that the

Sheriff do eject her from the premises and place the said Dameron in possession of the same."

On October 14, 1891, in Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, Mary Ann Casey filed her answer in the suit alleging there was no error in the original deed to her mother and that she was given two acres as part of that transaction:

"In the Circuit Court for Amherst County

Oct Term 1891

The separate answer of Mary Ann Casey to a bill in chancery exhibited against her and others in the said Court by her brother one F. H. Wright

This respondent for answer to the said bill says:

It is true that she is daughter of Ro. D. Wright and one of his heirs at law.

It is true that her father died intestate.

It is also true that prior to the death of her father, he purchased and paid for a certain tract of land containing some sixty nine acres from one Robt. Isbell near what is known as Wright's shop in the said County of Amherst.

It is also true that the said father of this respondent died before a deed of conveyance was made to him of said property But this respondent denies that any deed made by the said Isbell and wife to this respondents mother who was also mother of the complainant was made by any mistake but on the contrary thereof complainant procured the said deed to be made as it was made to the said mother wihout a word of consultation with this respondent, and so far as she is advised, without consulting any other member of the family by the which deed only about 27.- acres of land was conveyed to respondent's mother instead of 69 acres which had been purchased by her father.

This respondent denies that the land conveyed should be sold for division and She shows that after the complainant procured the said deed to be made as it was made His Mother with his approval without deed but by metes and bounds gave this respondent a lot of said land containg about two acres of land which respondent agreed to take in satisfaction of her interest in the said tract of land and thereupon went about to improve the same by erecting building and in other ways supposing that she would never be disturbed. This Respondent says that when this suit was brought she was assured by the plaintiff that if she would not appear to or resist his suit he would see to it that her lot and the improvements thereon would be set off and allowed to her and confiding in her brother that he

only wanted to sell so much of the said land as was outside of her lot for division did not appear to, or defend said suit. But the said complainant having decieved her and defrauded her she prays that she may now be permitted to file her answer to this bill and to defend the same

And having fully answered she prays to be hence dismissed with her costs

Sworn to in Open Court by Mary Ann Casey this the 14th day of Oct 1891

W. Sandwich D.C."

In October 1893 in Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court File 71, the court ordered that the two acres claimed by Cynthia A. Linthicum be allotted to her:

"F. H. Wright

V

Ord Octo Term 1893

Wright & al

This cause came on this day to be again heard on the papers formerly read and was argued by counsel: on consideration whereof and by consent of parties the Court doth adjudge order and decree that Cynthia A. Linthicum the wife of N A Linthicum is entitled to the two acres of ground together with improvements thereon on which the said Linthicum at present resides the same being set out in the answer filed in this cause: and the Court doth appoint A. H. Burroughs, special Comr and as such direct him to convey to the said Cynthia A. Linthicum by proper deed said two acres of land together with all improvements thereon. The same to be in full of her distributive share: The cost of executing the said deed being at the cost of the said Cynthia A Linthicum.

A Copy Teste E. B. McGinnis, Clerk"

The court records do not indicate any resolution of the claim to two acres of land by mary Ann Casey.

From the evidence set forth above and additional evidence set forth below, the children of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood) Wright were the following:

- 1) Eliza Jane Wright, born on September 23, 1821, at Virginia,
- 2) Fielding Hobson Wright, born on July 20, 1823, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
 - 3) Sterling Charles Wright, born on September 10, 1825, at Virginia,

- 4) David Staples "Toby" Wright, born on July 19, 1828, at Campbell County, Virginia,
 - 5) Thomas Wright, born on January 7, 1831,
- 6) Mary Ann (Wright) Casey or Kersey or Cary, born on October 19, 1833, at Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 7) Robert Doss Wright, born on June 2, 1836, at Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 8) William Poncel Wright, born on May 9, 1840, at Virginia, and
- 9) Cynthia Ann (Wright) Linthicum, born on October 22, 1844, at Amherst County, Virginia.

a. Eliza Jane Wright

Eliza Jane Wright was a daughter of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³)

The Family Bible of Robert D. Wright included in Pension File WC 11583 listed the birth of Eliza Jane Wright on September 3, 1821:

".... Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795

Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

Eliza Jane Wright was Born Septr 3 1821 "

The 1860 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Eliza Wright in the Robert D. Wright household on October 17, 1860, and her age as 36 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1824.

On October 28, 1878, Eliza Jane Wright filed a declaration in support of the claim for pension of her mother:

"I, S Patterson Clerk of united states court for western district of virginia do certify that Eliza Jane Wright F. H. Wright. S. C. Wright who reside in the vicinity of Lynchburg va and whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit personally appeared before me this 29th day of October 1878 and made oath to following to wit: That they are 57, 55 & 53 years of age respectively, that they are children of Robert Wright and Ellen Wright the latter of whom the said Ellen Wright is applying for pension under act of March 9th 1878. That they were born during the lawful wedlock of said Robert and Ellen Wright. That from their earliest recollections their said father and mother lived together as husband and wife to the day of said father's death which occurred Feby 4th 1872 that they

were present at the burial of the said Robert Wright and saw him after his death previous to his burial. That the family bible previously sent to the Comr. of Pensions containing record of the date of the marriage of Robert Wright and Ellen Hood was genuine record made by said Robert Wright. That they have been unable to get certified copy of any county or church record of said marriage the court house of Buckingham County va. where marriage license was issued having been destroyed by fire with its records. That they have been unable to get affidavit of the clergyman officiating or the testimony of eye witnesses as owing to great length of time which has elapsed they can find no living witnesses of the marriage and the clergyman having died who performed the ceremony as they have ascertained That they in presenting this family record in the bible and this testimony as living proof of said marriage have furnished the best testimony that can be produced. That the said Ellen Wright has not remarried since the death of her said husband but remains his widow. That they never heard any question of the marriage of their said father and mother that they were universally recognized as husband and wife from their earliest recollection which extends back at least forty years. That they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim. That the place of residence of Elvya Jane Wright and F. H. Wright is in Amherst county va about four miles from Lynchburg va. and of S. C. Wright in Campbell county. va. about 3-1/2 miles from Lynchburg. that their post office is Lynchburg, va. That their father the said Robert Wright was in receipt of a pension under act of Feby 14th 1871 up to time of his death.

Witness: her
R. K. Hargrove Elvya Jane X Wright
T. T. Gaines mark

F. H. Wright S. C. Wright"

b. <u>Fielding Hobson Wright, His Wife Sarah D. (Thomas)</u>

Wright, And His Descendants

Fielding Hobson Wright was a son of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³)

The Family Bible of 1873 Robert D. Wright included in Pension File WC 11583 listed Faalding Hobson Wright and his date of birth on July 20, 1823:

".... Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795

Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

Eliza Jane Wright was Born Septr 3 1821

Faalding Hobson Wright was Born July 20 1823 "

The complaint in the case of Fielding H. Wright vs. Wright et al in Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court also listed Fielding H. Wright as a son of Robert D. Wright:

".... Your orator F. H. Wright, humbly complaining, showeth unto the Court, that your orator's father, Robert D. Wright,"

The 1850 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Fielding Wright in the Jesse Richeson household on December 5, 1850, and his age as 27, a blacksmith, and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1823.

On or about June 20, 1851, Fielding H. Wright filed suit against Edward I. Davis for an accounting of the profits of a blacksmith partnership they had entered into:

"To The Hon Lucas P. Thompson Judge of the Circuit Court of the County of Amherst

The Bill of complaint of Fielding H. Wright respectfully represents that on the __day of ________18__ This complainant and a certain Edward I. Davis, both residents of the county of Amherst entered into and formed a copartnership in the Blacksmithing business to be carried on near the tavern House of the said Davis near the Buffalo Springs in the county of Amherst ______ by the terms of said partnership your orator who is himself a Blacksmith was to furnish and bring into the concern his own skill and labor. The said Davis was to furnish and provide a striker shop and board for your orator and the other expences of the co-partnership were to be equally divided between the parties said agreement was verbal and never reduced to writing, but witnesses were present when it was made your orator and the said Davis accordingly commenced and for a considerable time continued the said business on the terms and conditions aforesaid and eventually dissolved having as your orator alleges and charges made considerable profit from their business

Your orator expressly avers and alleges that he has never received any thing from said concern, that the books, papers and accounts all passed into and are now in the possession of said Davis who has collected or otherwise adjusted or lost by his negligence all the debts due to said concern and although your orator has made frequent application to him for a settlement of their partnership transactions and the payment of his portion of the profits, has refused and declined to do so, and retains in his possession the whole thereof and his gross injustice and _____ is ____ to your orator. Your orator has always sought and demanded without avail a friendly adjustment of their differences without a resort(?) to suit. But the said Davis has pertinaciously declined all propositions and holding on to the whole profits of the copartnership left him no other alternatives

Your orator therefore prays that inasmuch as he is without remedy at Law and only relievable in Equity the said Edward I Davis may be made a defendant to this Bill and compelled to answer all and singular its allegations, on oath that he may be required to say what sums of money he has received of the debtors of said concern and how he has _____ them - that he may be compelled to produce and exhibit the Books of said concern and thus enable a commissioner of this court to settle and adjust the same - that your Honor will decree a settlement of the accounts of said partnership and, if upon such settlement a balance should be shown to be due your orator, that you will decree in his favor for the amount against said Davis and grant all such other and further and and relief as to Equity may seem fit and the nature of the case may require

1851

July 7 briefed & decree nisi Aug 4 bill pro confesso & sth Sep 6 Cont 1854 Augst. Dismissed"

The court entered its order directing an accounting before a commissioner:

"Wright

v Decree

Davis

This cause, in which the Bill had been taken for confessed at rules in the office, came on this day to be heard on the Bill and was argued by Counsel, on consideration whereof the court doth order that it be referred to one of the commissioners of this court to take an account of the Partnership transactions of the Plaintiff and defendant from the commencement of said Partnership to its dissolution and in order to enable him to do so each party is required to deliver to the said commissioner all Books, papers, and accounts, in his possession, belonging to, or connected with the transactions, of said copartnership and leave is given to either party to examine the other, upon oath, before the said commissioner, touching the matters involved in said settlement

which account the said commissioner is dirreted to take state and settle and make report thereof to the court with any matter, specially stated, deemed pertinent by himself or required by the parties to be so stated"

In August 1854 the case was dismissed with no indication of whether a satisfactory accounting had been rendered.

The 1859 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Fielding H. Wright with the following household on February 5:

			Tithal	oles				
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free mal above th 16 years	e persons e age of	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years				
Feby 5	Fielding H Wright	1						
have attain years, exce	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted on on account of mity	Male free negroe between the ages of 21 and 55 years		ned mules, asses				
	1							
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey w carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,						
All gold an plate and j	ewelry kitchen furn	<u>niture</u> all mon	ate amount ies, solvent es and liquid					
manufactu	Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner							
companies and interna of all insura	I of all incorporated jo s other than banks of al improvement comp ance companies and s, which declare no div	circulation anies, and savings	the perso and the a bonds or	e value of nal property m't of moneys, claims of internal nent companies				

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Aggregate of values

of all fees of office

Amount

Amount of income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for

county purposes

Remarks

.80

The 1860 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Fielding H. Wright with the following household on February 7:

_	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male above the 16 years	•	Slave attair		o have e age
Feby 7	Fielding H Wright		1				
have attaine years, excep	inhabitants who ed the age of 21 pt those exempted n on account of ity 1		ee negroes n the ages nd 55		ned r		s , asses <u>nnets</u> <u>Value</u>
Cattle, sheep <u>and hogs</u> <u>No.</u> Value	Pleasure carriage coaches, jersey w carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,	<u>Watches</u> <u>No.</u> Val		_		os <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>
All gold and plate and jeven Value	welry kitchen furni	<u>ture</u>	Sheep and hogs No. Value	Aggregate monies, s urities and	olvent	bond	s, sec-

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Amount Aggregate of all fees of values of office

Amount of income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Total amount of bonds issued by the State of Virginia held 1st February 1860. This column is only to obtain information

Remarks

.80

The 1861 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Fielding H. Wright with the following household on February 11:

> Names of Persons **Charged With Taxes**

White males, male free negroes and slaves, ascertained for state taxes

male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, 21 years, taxed taxed at 80 cents

Number of white

Number of male free negroes above the age of

at 80 cents

Feb 11th Fielding H. Wright

1

White males, male free negroes and slaves, ascertained for state taxes for state taxes [cont'd]

free negroes above the age of 21 years taxed at \$1

Number of male Number of slaves of both sexes who have attained the age of 12 years, taxed at \$1.20

Property and capital taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollars value

Horses, mules, asses and jennets, with their number and value No. Value

Pleasure carriages, coaches, jersey wagons, carryalls, gigs and buggies with the number and value Value No.

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Cattle No. Value

Sheep No. Value

Hogs No. Value

Watches No. Value

Clocks <u>No.</u> Value

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Pianos

Value of all gold and silver plate No. Value and jewelry

Aggregate value of all household and and Harps plated ware kitchen furniture Value

Aggregate amount of all moneys, contracts for money or other thing, solvent bonds, securities, liquidated claims and credits whether in or out of the state

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Amount of moneys, bonds, contracts, or other evidences of debt, under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or invested, or employed in any trade or business, for which no license is required

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal companies, which pay taxes on passengers and freight), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends of profits

Aggregate value of the personal property moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, not exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income where the taxes are scaled according to amount received

Fees received, and salaries or income, not more than \$250, taxed at half of one per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income which are more than \$250, and not more than \$500, taxed at one per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income, which are more than \$500 and not more than \$100 taxed at 1½ per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income over \$1000, taxed at 2 per centum

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges

Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of this or any other state, or whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia) and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend taxed and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent
or annual
value of toll Total
bridges amount
or ferries, of state
taxed at taxes on
6 per centum all subjects

For county levy

Amount levied on slaves, land and other property, Number of Male free assessed with state taxes, white males negroes Slaves of being per cent, on such above above taxes, levied according to both sexes Total levy persons and the age over 16 the 33d chapter of the the age of 16 years of 16 years years of age Code of Virginia property

<u>2nd Virginia Cavalry</u> stated that Fielding Hobson Wright was born about 1823, enlisted as a private in Company B, 2nd Virginia Cavalry, on May 13, 1861, at

Lynchburg, Virginia, was present through July 1, 1861, was absent on sick leave on January 6, 1862, was discharged for overage on March 6, 1863, and died by 1902 according to his wife's pension application.

The marriage record of Fielding H. Wright and Sarah D. Thomas was dated December 20, 1865, at Amherst County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Date of License: December 20, 1865 Date of Marriage: December 21, 1865 Place of Marriage: Amherst County

Parties: Fielding H. Wright & Sarah D. Thomas

Age of Husband: 42 Age of Wife: 22

Condition of Husband: Single Condition of Wife: Single

Place of Husband's Birth: Appomattox County

Place of Wife's Birth: Amherst County

Place of Husband's Residence: Amherst County Place of Wife's Residence: Amherst County

Names of Husband's Parents: Ro. D. & Helen Wright Names of Wife's Parents: Radford & Sarah Thomas

Husband's Occupation: Blacksmith"

The birth record of _____ Wright, son of Fielding H. Wright and Sarah D. Wright, was dated in September 1869 at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: ____(?) Wright
Date of Birth: September 1869

Color: White Sex: Male Born: Alive

Place: Amherst Co Va Father's Name: Fielding H. Wright

Father's Residence: Amherst Co Mother's Name: Sarah D Wright

No. at Birth:

Informant: H A Wright"

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Fielding H. Wright with the following household on July 2, 1870:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	Sex Color Occupation			Real Estate	
Fielding H. Wright Sarah H Wright Edward L. Dameron		46 28 9	M F 16	W W W	Blacksmith K House		
Value of Personal <u>Property</u>	Place of <u>Birth</u>		Marrie Withir <u>Year</u>		Born Withir <u>Year</u>	Attended School Within Year	Cannot <u>Read</u>
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Cannot <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb I Insane or Idi			ale Citiz ver 21		lale Citizen Over 2 Vithout Right to Vo	-
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Value of

This record indicates that Fielding Hobson Wright was born in about 1824 and that Sarah D. (Thomas) Wright was born in about 1844.

On July 31, 1878, Fielding H. Wright filed a declaration in Pension File WC 11583 in support of the application of his mother for a widow's pension in right of his father's service in the War of 1812:

"State of Virginia)
City of Lynchburg) to wit:

J. S. Patterson Clerk of the united States court for the western district of virginia do certify that F. H. Wright a resident of Amherst county va three miles from Lynchburg personally appeared before me in my city aforesaid and made oath that he is was fifty five years of age on the 20th of July 1878. that he is the Son of Robert Wright and Ellen Wright the former of whom was pensioned before his death under act of Feby 14 1871 the latter of whom is now applying for pension under act of March 9th 1878. this his father and mother were married according to the family record in the bible herewith submitted November 9" 1820 that he has been unable to obtain any official record of said marriage that the said Robert Wright and Ellen Wright lived together as husband and wife to the date of his death, that the said Ellen Wright has not remarried since the death of her husband but remains his widow. That the said Robert Wright was Known as Robert D. Wright Sometimes though he often omitted the D. in signing his name.

that the Said Ellen Wright's maiden name was Eleanor T. Hood, she usually signing as Ellen Wright, that he has no interest in prosecution of this claim that Robert Wright made the record of the births and marriage in the bible herewith that he has no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

F. H. Wright

Subscribed & Sworn to before me and I certify that the contents of the foregoing affidavit was made Known to the affiant before Signing and that he is respectable and worthy of credit in his foregoing statement. Given under my hand & seal this 31 July 1878

S. Patterson Ct"

On April 16, 1879, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. QQ/35 Fielding H. Wright purchased 5 acres of land from Joseph Porter:

"This Indenture, made this 16th day of April in the year Eighteen Hundred -Seventy Nine, by and between Joseph Porter, of the first part, and Fielding H Wright, of the second part, All of the County of Amherst and State of Virginia. Witnesseth: That for and in Consideration of the sum of One Hundred Dollars by the party of the second part in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the party party of the first part hath bargained, granted and sold, and by these presents doth bargain, sell, grant and convey unto the party of the second part a certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Amherst, and bounded and described as follows: to wit: Beginning at a Spanish Oak on the line of the land of the late Robert Wright, deceased: thence by said line North 43 deg West 35 poles to a Rock in the Glade Road, at the Corner of the lands of John Irvine and Anderson; thence by said Glade Road South 23-1/2 deg. West 31-2/4 poles to a small chestnut, on the South of said road; thence South 53-1/2 East 28 poles, to a Chestnut Stump; thence North 34-1/2 deg East 24 poles to the place of beginning Said parcel of land Containing 5 Acres and 26 poles, more or less, and being the North east Corner of a tract of land of which the late John Williams died seized, one hundred and fifty acres of which was conveyed to Joseph Porter by Stephen Adams, Commissioner, by order of Court, October Term, 1878, and bearing date December 23d 1878. To have and to hold the above described premises, with all the improvements, hereditaments and appurtenances as thereunto belonging, and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In Witness whereof the said Joseph Porter, party of the first part, has hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and date first above written.

Joseph Porter

I, Andrew J DeWitt, a Notary Public for the City of Lynchburg, do Certify that Joseph Porter, whose name is signed to the within Deed bearing date the 16th of April 1879, personally appeared before me in the City aforesaid, and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of April in the year Eighteen Hundred and eighty two

Andrew J DeWitt Notary Public

In the Clerk's Office of Amherst County Court June 15th 1885. This deed was this day received in said office and together with the Certificate of Acknowledgment of the party thereto admitted to record

Teste, Ch L Ellis, Clerk"

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Fielding H. Wright with the following household on June 3, 1880:

<u>Name</u>		Cold	or <u>Se</u>	<u>ex</u>	<u>Age</u>	Mon <u>Birth</u>	th of	Relationship
Fielding H Wright Sarah D Wright Marcy J Dameron		W W W	M F F		56 40 6			wife wife's neice
Marital Status	Married During <u>Year</u>		Occupation Blacksmith			onths nem- oyed	Deaf	ess Blind & Dumb c Disabled
M M		Keeps						
Attended School Within Year		Cannot <u>Read</u>	Canno Write	ot –	Father Born Born		Father <u>Born</u>	Mother <u>Born</u>
					Virginia Virginia Virginia	а	Va Va Va	Va Va Va

This record indicates that Fielding Hobson Wright was born in about 1824 and that Sarah D. (Thomas) Wright was born in about 1840.

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Sara Wright with the following household:

***************************************		Location		
In (Cities House Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
		319	319	Sara Wright Henry V Sandidge Martha Sandidge Bulah V Sandidge Fitz M Sandidge

Relation	Personal Description							
Relationship of each person the head the family	Color or race	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u> <u>Sex</u> <u>Month</u> <u>Year</u>		Age at last <u>birthday</u>	Whether single, married, widowed, or or divorced		
Head	W	F	Oct	1840	59	Wd		
Nephew	W	M	Jun	1872	28	M		
Niece	W	F	Dec	1873	26	M		
great Niece	W	F	May	1897				
great nephew	W	M	Nov	1898	2	S		

Perso	nal Description	n [cont'd]	Nativity				
Number of years married	Mother of how many children	Number of these children living		of each person of each person Place of birth of Father of this person	on n enumerated. Place of birth of Mother of this person		
	2	2	Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia	Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia	Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia		

	Year of	Number		<u>Or Pr</u>	<u>ofession</u>			<u>Education</u>	
	immi-	of years		of ea	ch persor	n Ten			
	gration to	in the		Years	s of age a	and ov	er.	Attended	
	the United	United	Natural-				hs not	school in	
	<u>States</u>	<u>States</u>	<u>ization</u>	<u>Occu</u>	<u>pation</u>	<u>empl</u>	oyed	months)	
				Farm Day l	er ₋aborer	()		
	Educatio	n [cont'd]			Owne	rship (Of Home		
	Can Can	Can s	peak Ow	ned	Owned f			Number of	
	read write			<u>rented</u>	or mortg	<u>aged</u>	<u>house</u>	fam schedule	
	Yes Yes	Yes	3		F		F	41	
The p	The presence of Fielding Hobson Wright in the 1880 Census for Amherst County,								
Virginia, and the absence of children in that household and the listing of Sara as a									
widow in the 1900 Census and her physical proximity in Amherst County to other									
desce	ndants of Cha	rles Wrigh	t suggest th	at this	lilsting w	as pro	bably Sar	ah D.	
(Thom	nas) Wright, bu	ut further re	esearch will	be rec	uired to	confirn	n this ider	ntification.	
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					was a soi	n of Fi	elding Ho	bson Wright	
and S	arah D. (Thom	nas) Wright		•			•	ding Hobson ⁴)	
								arah D. Wright,	
was d	ated in Septer		_		•	_	,	3 ,	
	•								
	"Name of Chi Date of Birth: Color: Sex: Born: Place: Father's Nam Father's Resi Mother's Nan No. at Birth: Informant:	ne: dence:	Septem White Male Alive Amhers Fielding Amhers Sarah D H A Wri	t Co Va H. Wr t Co) Wrigh	69 a ight				

Occupation, Trade,

Citizenship

c. <u>1884 Sterling Charles Wright Of Campbell County, His Wife</u>

Lucy Ann () Wright, And His Descendants

1884 Sterling Charles Wright of Campbell County was a son

of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and his wife Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³)

The Family Bible of Robert D. Wright included in Pension File WC 11583 listed the date of birth of Sterling Charles Wright on September 10, 1825:

".... Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795

Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

Eliza Jane Wright was Born Septr 3 1821

Faalding Hobson Wright was Born July 20 1823

Sterling Charles Wright was Born Septr 10 1825 "

The 1847 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Sterling Wright with the following household:

Persons Chargeable With Tax		above 16 a		ab	aves ove 16 ars of age	Slaves above 12 <u>years of age</u>		Horses <u>Mules &c</u>	
	Sterling Wrigh	t	1			1	1		
	4 Wheel pleasure car- riages and har ness, and valu		alue, ing	Carry and harne <u>and v</u>	ess	plea riage	neel sure car- es and har- s and value		Gold vatches
	Patent lever or lepine silver watches Other watches Other beautiful Other planos, clocks clocks clocks and value value of \$50								
	Attorneys paying specific tax and amt. of tax	Physicians & surgeon paying spe cific tax, a amount of	is pa e- sp nd ar	entists aying ecific to d amoutax	-	moneys lo acquired interest, p	t or profits of paned out of by purchas profits or div or corporation	or or e, in vide:	icluding nds

Am't of monied	Bridges - am't	Ferries - am't	Newspaper,	Total am't
yearly income over	of yearly	of yearly	printing	of Tax
\$400 received as sal-	rent or value	rent or value	presses, and	Dollars
aries or fees of office	over \$100	<u>over \$100</u>	amount of tax	<u>Cents</u>

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The Charlottesville, Lee Lynchburg and Johnson's Bedford Artillery stated that Sterling C. Wright enlisted on October 6, 1863, as a private in the Lee Battery of Light Artillery, was issued clothes on December 12, 1863, and December 24, 1863, was subject of a general court martial and sentenced to six months hard labor at Richmond, escaped from the Provost Guard on the night of October 19, 1864, was at large on December 31, 1864, and was paroled on April 15, 1865, at Lynchburg.

On July 30, 1870, The Lynchburg Daily News printed an obituary for Cinderella M. Wright which listed her parents as Sterling C. Wright and Lucy A. Wright: "Died.

On the 27th of July, 1870, Cinderella M. Wright aged 5 years, daughter of Sterling C. and Lucy A. Wright of Campbell County, Va. "

The 1870 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Sterling C. Wright with the following household on August 17, 1870:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	Value of Real <u>Estate</u>
Sterling C Wright	45	М	W	Blacksmith	
Lucy A Wright	39	F	W	Keeping house	
Seraphin E Wright	13	F	W	at home	
Edward S Wright	11	M	W	at home	
Henrietta Wright	2	F	W	at home	
Sarah A Wright	8/12	F	W	at home	
Mary S Wright	5	F	W	at home	

Value of Personal Property	Place of <u>Birth</u>	Married Within <u>Year</u>	Born Within Year	Attended School <u>Within Year</u>	Cannot <u>Read</u>
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Cannot <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb Blind Insane or Idiot	Male Citizen Over 21	Male Citi Over 21 \ Right to \	Without	
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This record indicates that Sterling Charles Wright was born in about 1825 and that Lucy Ann (_____) Wright was born in about 1831. The listing of Mary S. Wright is probably for Cinderella M. Wright, who had died on July 27, three weeks before. Her listing out of age order probably indicates that the census taker was listing those present in the household on June 1, rather than those present in the household on August 17.

The birth record of J. R. Wright, son of Sterling Wright and Lucy A. Wright, was dated on February 1, 1874, at Campbell County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: J. R. Wright Date of Birth: February 1, 1874

Color: White
Sex: Male
Born: Alive
Place of Birth: Campbell

Father's Name: Sterling Wright

Father's Occupation: Farmer
Father's Residence: Campbell
Mother's Name: Lucy A Wright

How many: 1

Informant: L. A. Wright Relationship: Mother"

The death record of S. R. Wright, son of S and L Wright, was dated on October 17, 1874, at Campbell County, Virginia:

"Place of Death: Campbell County, Virginia

Line Number: 87

Name of Deceased: S. R. Wright

Race: White Sex: Male Age: 9 months

Date of Death: October 17, 1874

Place: Campbell Cause of Death: Infant

Name of Parents: S. and L. Wright

Birthplace of Deceased:

Occupation:

Consort of:

Name of Informant:

Relation of Informant:

Commissioner of the Revenue:

Campbell
Laborer
Robt. Wright
L. Wright
Mother
T. D. Evans

Date Record Filed: December 1875"

This age listed for S. R. Wright of 9 months makes clear that this is the same person as the J. R. Wright of the birth record set forth above.

The 1880 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Sterling Wright with the following household on June 7, 1880:

<u>Name</u>	Color	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	Month of Birth	Relationship
Sterling Wright	W	М	56		
Lucy Wright	W	F	47		Wife
Serophenia Wright	W	F	23		Daughter
Eduard Wright	W	M	20		Son
Henrietta Wright	W	F	18		Daughter
Sarah Wright	W	F	11		Daughter
William Wright	W	M	9		Son
John Wright	W	M	2		Son

Marital Status	Married During <u>Year</u>	Occupation	<u>1</u>	Mont Unen ploye	n-	Deaf 8	ess Blind & Dumb <u>Disabled</u>
M M S S S S S		Blacksmith Keeping ho at Home Laborer at Home at Home					
Attended School Within Year	Cannot Read	Cannot <u>Write</u>	<u>Born</u>		Fathe Born	er -	Mother <u>Born</u>
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This record indicates that Sterling Charles Wright was born in about 1824 and that Lucy Ann (____) Wright was born in about 1833.

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The death record of Stepney C. Wright, son of Robert and Ellen Wright, was dated on May 9, 1884, at Campbell County, Virginia:

"Place of Death: Campbell County, Virginia

Line Number: 14

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Name of Deceased: Stepney C. Wright

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Race: White Sex: Male Age: 56

Date of Death:

Place:

Campbell

Cause of Death:

Pneumonia

Name of Parents: Ro. and Ellen Wright

Birthplace of Deceased: Campbell Occupation: Farmer

Consort of: Unmarried Name of Informant: D. E. Ervin Relation of Informant: Physician Commissioner of the Revenue: R. M. Cocke Date Record Filed: November 1884"

This was probably the death record for Sterling Charles Wright, despite the misspelling of the first name and his listing as unmarried. The listing of his parents as Robert and Ellen Wright, his middle initial as C, and his age as 56 are all consistent with Sterling Charles Wright and the informant apparently did not know him well and apparently provided partially incorrect information for the death record.

From the evidence set forth above and additional evidence set forth below, the children of 1884 Sterling Charles Wright of Campbell County and Lucy Ann (____) Wright were the following:

- Seraphinia E. (Wright) Holler, born in about 1856 or 1857 at Amherst 1) County, Virginia,
 - 2) Edward S. Wright, born in about 1859 at Virginia,
 - 3) Cinderella M. or Mary S. Wright, born in about 1865 at Virginia,
- 4) Henrietta Lucy (Wright) Harris, born in about 1868 or 1872 or 1874 at Campbell County, Virginia,
 - 5) Sarah A. Wright, born in September 1869 at Virginia.
 - 6) William Wright, born in about 1871 at Virginia,
- 7) J. or S. R. Wright, born on February 1, 1874, at Campbell County, Virginia, and
 - 8) John Wright, born in about 1878 at Virginia.
 - i. Seraphinia E. (Wright) Holler And Her Husband Jacob Bowers Holler

Seraphinia E. (Wright) Holler was a daughter of 1884

Sterling Charles Wright of Campbell County and Lucy 🗛 (AM

)) Wright. (Robert¹,

Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1884 Sterling Charles⁴)

The 1870 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Seraphin E. Wright in the Sterling C. Wright household on August 17, 1870, and her age as 13 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1857.

The 1880 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Serophenia Wright in the Sterling Wright household on June 7, 1880, and her age as 23 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1857.

The marriage record of Seraphinia E. Wright and Jacob Bowers Holler was dated July 3, 1888, at Lynchburg, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Marriage License.

Virginia - City of Lynchburg to-wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Jacob Bowers Holler and Seraphinia E Wright

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the Corporation Court of Lynchburg Va this 3d day of July 1888.

S G Wingfield Clerk.

Certificate To Obtain A Marriage License,

Time of Marriage, July 3d 1888

Place of Marriage, Lynchburg Va

Full Names of Parties married, Jacob Bowers Holler & Seraphinia E Wright Color, White

Age of Husband, 39 years

Age of Wife, 32 years

Condition of Husband, (widowed or single) Widower

Condition of Wife, (widowed or single) Single

Place of Husband's Birth, Rockingham Co Va

Place of Wife's Birth, Amherst Co Va

Place of Husband's Residence, Lynchburg Va

Place of Wife's Residence, Lynchburg Va

Names of Husband's Parents, A H & Polly Holler

Names of Wife's Parents, Sterling C. Wright Mothers name unknown

Occupation of Husband, Farmer

Given under my hand, this 3d day of July 1888

S. G. Wingfield Clerk.

Minister's Return of Marriage.

I Certify, that on the 3d day of July 1888, at Lynchburg, Va. I united in Marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of annexed License.

W T Hall"

ii. Edward S. Wright

Edward S. Wright was a son of 1884 Sterling Charles

Wright of Campbell County and Lucy Ann (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1884 Sterling Charles⁴)

The 1870 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Edward S. Wright in the Sterling C. Wright household on August 17, 1870, and his age as 11 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1859.

The 1880 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Eduard Wright in the Sterling Wright household on June 7, 1880, and his age as 20 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1860.

iii. Cinderella M. Or Mary S. Wright

Cinderella M. or Mary S. Wright was a daughter of

1884 Sterling Charles Wright of Campbell County and Lucy Ann (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1884 Sterling Charles⁴)

On July 30, 1870, The Lynchburg Daily News printed the following obituary for Cinderella M. Wright:

"Died.

On the 27th of July, 1870, Cinderella M. Wright aged 5 years, daughter of Sterling C. and Lucy A. Wright of Campbell County, Va.

Weep not for me my parents dear, I am not dead but sleep here, My time was short, by this you see, Prepare yourself to follow me." The 1870 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Mary S. Wright in the Sterling C. Wright household on August 17, 1870, and her age as 5 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1865. The listing of Mary S. Wright is probably for Cinderella M. Wright, who had died on July 27, three weeks before. Her listing out of age order probably indicates that the census taker was listing those present in the household on June 1, rather than those present in the household on August 17.

iv. Henrietta Lucy (Wright) Harris, Her Husband Theatric

Or Theodoric Harris, And Her Descendants

Henrietta Lucy (Wright) Harris was a daughter of

1884 Sterling Charles Wright of Campbell County and Lucy Ann (_____) Wright.

(Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1884 Sterling Charles⁴)

The 1870 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Henrietta Wright in the Sterling C. Wright household on August 17, 1870, and her age as 2 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1868.

The 1880 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Henrietta Wright in the Sterling Wright household on June 7, 1880, and her age as 18 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1852.

The marriage record of Henrietta Lucy Wright and Theatric Harris was dated on March 3, 1897, at Lynchburg, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Marriage License.

Virginia - City of Lynchburg to-wit:
To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Theatric Harris and Henrietta Lucy Wright

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the Corporation Court of Lynchburg this 2nd day of March 1897.

S G Wingfield Clerk.

Certificate To Obtain A Marriage License,

Time of Marriage, 1897 March 3rd
Place of Marriage, Durmid Near Lynchburg Va
Full Names of Parties married, Theatric Harris and Henrietta Lucy Wright
Color, White
Age of Husband, Twenty five years
Age of Wife, Twenty three years
Condition of Husband, (widowed or single) single
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single) single
Place of Husband's Birth, Charlotte Co Va
Place of Wife's Birth, Campbell Co Va
Place of Husband's Residence, Durmid Near Lynchburg Va
Place of Wife's Residence, Campbell Co. within jurisdiction of Lynchburg
Corporation Court
Names of Husband's Parents, ____ and Julia Harris

Occupation of Husband, Weaver in cotton mill

Given under my hand, this 2nd day of March 1897

Names of Wife's Parents, Chas. S and Lucy Ann Wright

S G Wingfield Clerk.

Minister's Return of Marriage.

I Certify, That on the 3rd day of March 1897, at Campbell County I united in Marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of annexed License.

S. J. Liggan"

The listing of Charles S. Wright as the father of Henrietta is clearly a variation of the name of Sterling Charles Wright from the 1870 Census and the listing of Lucy Ann as the mother confirms the identification of Sterling Charles Wright and Lucy Ann (____) Wright as the parents of Henrietta Lucy Wright.

In her email dated February 10, 2000, Lynda Harris stated that Henrietta Lucy Wright was a daughter of Sterling Charles Wright and Lucy Ann (_____) Wright, was born in 1874 at Campbell County, Virginia, and married Theotric or Theodoric Harris on March 3, 1897, at Campbell County, Virginia, that Theotric or Theodoric Harris was born in 1872 at Charlotte County, Virginia, was a weaver in the cotton mills in Lynchburg, Virginia, and then a street car motor man, married second Ada Lee Godsey,

and separated after three years from Ada Lee (Godsey) Harris, and that Henrietta Lucy (Wright) Harris and Theotric or Theodoric Harris had the following children:

- 1) Sarah Harris, born before 1900,
- 2) Mary Harris, born before 1900,
- 3) ____ Harris, a daughter, and
- 4) Theodore Harris, Jr., born on December 7, 1905, at Lynchburg, Virginia.

v. Sarah A. Wright

Sarah A. Wright was a daughter of 1884 Sterling

Charles Wright of Campbell County and Lucy Ann (_____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1884 Sterling Charles⁴)

The 1870 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Sarah A. Wright in the Sterling C. Wright household on August 17, 1870, and her age as 8/12 and born in September in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in September 1869.

The 1880 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Sarah Wright in the Sterling Wright household on June 7, 1880, and her age as 11 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1859.

vi. William Wright

William Wright was a son of 1884 Sterling Charles

Wright of Campbell County and Lucy Ann (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1884 Sterling Charles⁴)

The 1880 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed William Wright in the Sterling Wright household on June 7, 1880, and his age as 9 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1861.

vii. 1874 J. S. R. Wright Of Campbell County

1874 J. S. R. Wright of Campbell County was a son

of 1884 Sterling Charles Wright of Campbell County and Lucy A (_____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1884 Sterling Charles⁴)

The birth record of J. R. Wright, son of Sterling Wright and Lucy A. Wright, was dated on February 1, 1874, at Campbell County, Virginia:



"Name of Child: J. R. Wright Date of Birth: February 1, 1874

Color: White Sex: Male Born: Alive Place of Birth: Campbell

Father's Name: Sterling Wright Father's Occupation: Farmer Father's Residence: Campbell

Father's Residence: Campbell Mother's Name: Lucy A Wright

How many: 1

Informant: L. A. Wright Relationship: Mother"

The death record of S. R. Wright, son of S and L Wright, was dated on October 17, 1874, at Campbell County, Virginia:

"Place of Death: Campbell County, Virginia

Line Number: 87

Name of Deceased: S. R. Wright

Race: White Sex: Male Age: 9 months

Date of Death: October 17, 1874

Place: Campbell Cause of Death: Infant

Name of Parents: S. and L. Wright

Birthplace of Deceased:

Occupation:

Consort of:

Name of Informant:

Relation of Informant:

Commissioner of the Revenue:

Date Record Filed:

Campbell

Laborer

Robt. Wright

L. Wright

Mother

T. D. Evans

December 1875"

This age listed for S. R. Wright of 9 months makes clear that this is the same person as the J. R. Wright of the birth record set forth above.

viii. John Wright

John Wright was a son of 1884 Sterling Charles

Wright of Campbell County and Lucy Ann (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1884 Sterling Charles⁴)

The 1880 Census for Campbell County, Virginia, listed John Wright in the Sterling Wright household on June 7, 1880, and his age as 2 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1868.

d. <u>1894 David Staples "Toby Or Tobe" Wright Of Amherst</u>

<u>County, His Wife Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright, And</u>

<u>His Descendants</u>

1894 David Staples "Toby or Tobe" Wright of Amherst

County was a son of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and his wife Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³)

The Family Bible of Robert D. Wright included in Pension File WC 11583 listed the birth of David Staples Wright on July 19, 1828:

".... Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795

Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

Eliza Jane Wright was Born Septr 3 1821

Faalding Hobson Wright was Born July 20 1823

Sterling Charles Wright was Born Septr 10 1825

David Staples Wright was Born July 19 1828 "

The complaint of Wright v. Wright in Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court, no file number, also identified Daniel S. Wright as a son of Robert D. Wright:

".... said Robert D. Wright who died intestate and leaving as his heirs at law your orator, Danl S. Wright, Robert D. Wright, Mary Ann Wright who is now Mary Ann Casey and Cynthia A. Wright who is now Cynthia A. Linthicum"

The marriage record of David Staples Wright and Susan Layne was dated on May 17, 1865, at Nelson County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Time of Marriage, 17th May

Place of Marriage, The residence of Samuel Layne, Nelson Co.

Full Names of Parties married, David Staples Wright & Susan Layne

Age of Husband, 38 years

Age of Wife, 19 years 6 mos.

Condition of Husband (widowed or single), Single

Condition of Wife (widowed or single), Single

Place of Husband's Birth, Appomattox, formerly Campbell Co Va.

Place of Wife's Birth, Buckingham County Va.

Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst County Va.
Place of Wife's Residence, Nelson County Va.
Names of Husband's Parents, Robert D & Ellen H. Wright
Names of Wife's Parents, Samuel & Martha Layne
Occupation of Husband, Overseer

Given under my hand this 16" day of May, 1865.

S. H. Loving Clerk

Minister's Return of Marriage.

I certify, that on the 17th day of May 1865 at Lock Noo 35 S. R. K. C. I united in Marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

James A. Mundy"

The 1870 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed David Wright with the following household on August 5, 1870:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	<u>Occup</u>	<u>pation</u>	Value of Real <u>Estate</u>
David Wright Catherine Wright Edward J Wright Samuell Wright Robert D Wright		39 25 3 2 2/12	M F M M	W W W W	Keepii At Hoi At Hoi	Lock Tender Keeping House At Home At Home At Home	
Value of Personal <u>Property</u>	Place of Birth	Wi	arried thin ar	Born With <u>Year</u>	in	Attended School <u>Within Year</u>	Cannot <u>Read</u>
	Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia			Apl			1 1

Cannot Write	Deaf Dumb Blind <u>Insane or Idiot</u>	Male Citizen <u>Over 21</u>	Male Citizen Over 21 Without Right to Vote
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This was probably the household of David Staples Wright. The age of David Wright is consistent with his age in his marriage record. The age of Catherine Wright is consistent with the age of Susan (Layne) Wright in their marriage record. And the ages of the children are consistent with a marriage in 1865. The second child would be named after the wife's father and the third child would be named after the husband's father. As will be set forth below, the death records from the Duiguid Funeral Home state that the parents of Edward Jackson Wright were David Tobe Wright and Susan Layne. The uncertainty is caused by the wife's name as Catherine rather than Susan, but her name was probably Susan Catherine (Layne) Wright and, as will be set forth below, she apparently went by both names.

The birth record of Robert Wright, son of Toby and Susan Wright, was dated in April 1872 at Nelson County, Virginia:

Alive

"Name of Child: Robt Wright Date of Birth: April 1872 Color: White Sex: Male

Place of Birth:
Father's Name:
Toby Wright
Lock keeper
Father's Residence:
Nelson County
Nelson County
Susan Wright

How many:

Informant: Toby Wright Relationship: Father"

This was probably the birth record for Robert D. Wright listed in the 1870 Census in the David Wright household. The date of the birth record was probably misrecorded as 1872, rather than 1870. As will be set forth below, the Duiguid Funeral Home Records

Born:

listed the father of Edward Jackson Wright as David Tobe Wright and the mother as Susan Layne. Toby was apparently a nickname for David Staples Wright.

The birth record of Martha J. Wright, daughter of David and Susan Wright, was dated on September 6, 1873, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Martha J Wright

Date of Birth:

September 6, 1873

Color: Sex:

White Female

Born: Place of Birth: Alive Nelson

Father's Name:

David Wright

Father's Occupation: Father's Residence:

Lock Keeper

Mother's Name:

Nelson

Susan Wright

How many:

1

Deformity:

None

Informant:

David Wright

Relationship:

Father"

This child would have been named for Susan Catherine (Layne) Wright's mother and the occupation of David Wright as lock keeper is consistent with the birth record for Robert Wright and the 1870 Census record for David Wright.

The death record of Martha N. Wright, daughter of David and Susan Wright, was dated on February 5, 1873, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Deceased:

Martha N Wright

Date of Death:

February 5, 1873

Color:

White

Sex:

Female

Place:

Nelson County Strangulation

Cause: Age:

5 mos 1 day

Parents:

David & Susan Wright

Born:

Nelson Co Va

Informant:

David Wright

Relationship:

Father"

The names of the parents and the age at death of 5 months make clear that this Martha N. Wright was the same person as Martha J. Wright of the birth record. Since the year of Robert Wright's birth date was incorrectly listed, it seems likely that the year of Martha J. Wright's birth date was also incorrectly listed and that Robert Wright was born in 1870 and Martha J. Wright was born in September 1872 and then this death record would correctly list her death 5 months later in February 1873.

The birth record of Violetta Wright, daughter of David and Catharine E. Wright, was dated on November 12, 1878, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Violetta Wright

Date of Birth:

November 12, 1878

Color:

White

Sex:

Female Alive

Born: Place of Birth:

Nelson County

Father's Name:

David Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Nelson Co.

Mother's Name:

Catharine E. Wright

How many:

1

Deformity: Informant: None Parent"

The 1880 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed David Wright with the following household on June 4 or 5, 1880:

<u>Name</u>		Color	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	Month of Birth	Relationship
David Wrig Katherine Wedward Wrigh Saml Wrigh Robt Wrigh Carrington Violet Wrig	Vright ight nt t Wright	W W W W W	M F M M M M	49 29 13 11 10 3		Wife Son Daughter Daughter Daughter Daughter
Marital <u>Status</u> M M	Married During <u>Year</u>	Occupa Keeps		Month Unem- ployed		Sickness Blind Deaf & Dumb Idiotic Disabled

Attended School Within Year	Cannot <u>Read</u>	Cannot <u>Write</u>	<u>Born</u>	Father <u>Born</u>	Mother <u>Born</u>
	1	1	Virginia Virginia	Virginia Virginia	Virginia Virginia
1		1	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
1		1	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
	1	1	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
	1	1	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
	1	1	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia

This record indicates that David Staples Wright was born in about 1831 and that Susan Catherine (Layne) Wright was born in about 1851. However, since Susan Catherine (Layne) Wright was listed as age 25 in the 1870 Census, this record seems clearly in error. The occupation of David Wright of lock keeper is further confirmation that the same family is involved in all these records, whether David is known as Toby or David and whether his wife is known as Susan or Catherine.

The birth record of ____ Wright, son of David S. Wright and Susan Wright, was dated on March 10, 1881, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Not named Wright

Date of Birth:

March 10, 1881

Color: White Sex: Male Born: Alive

Place of Birth:
Father's Name:
Pather's Occupation:
Father's Residence:
Mother's Name:
Nelson Co Va
Lock Keeper
Nelson Co Va
Susan Wright

How many:

1

Informant:

Father"

The listing of David S. Wright as lock keeper again confirms that the same family was involved in all of these Nelson County records, notwithstanding alternative names used.

The death record of ____ Wright, son of David S. and Susan Wright, was dated on June 1, 1881, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Deceased: ____ Wright Date of Death: June 1, 1881

Color: White Sex: Male

Place: Nelson Co Va Cause: Consumption Age: 2 mos 8 days

Parents: David & Susan Wright

Born: Nelson Consort of: Single

Informant: David S Wright

Relationship: Father"

The death record of Susan Wright, wife of David S. Wright, was dated on September 20, 1881, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Deceased: Susan Wright

Date of Death: September 20, 1881

Color: White Sex: Female Place: Nelson (

Place: Nelson Co Va Cause: Consumption

Age: 34 yrs 8 mos 10 days Parents: Saml & Martha Layne

Born: Appomattox Consort of: Married

Informant: David S. Wright

Relationship: Husband"

The marriage record of Samuel H. Wright and Annie L. Cooper dated February 26, 1891, at Amherst County, Virginia, listed his parents as Davis S. and Catherine E. Wright and his age as 22 and born in Nelson County, Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1869.

The death record of Tobe Wright was dated on June 19, 1894, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Place of Death: Amherst County, Virginia

Line Number: 71

Name of Deceased: Tobe Wright

Race: White Sex: Male Age: 67

Date of Death: June 19, 1894

Place: Amherst Cause of Death: Not Stated Name of Parents: Not Stated Birthplace of Deceased: Not Stated Occupation: Not Stated Consort of: Not Stated Name of Informant: Not Stated Relation of Informant: Not Stated Commissioner of the Revenue: Ro. H. Eubank Date Record Filed: August 1894"

The nickname Tobe is consistent with the nickname Toby from the 1872 birth record for Robert Wright and the Duiguid Funeral Home record set forth below and indicates that this record is for David Staples Wright.

In her email dated October 8, 2001, Dale Holdren stated that the Duiguid Funeral Home Records for Edward Jackson Wright in 1930 listed his parents as David Tobe Wright and and Susan Lane, with the informant as Edward Jackson Wright's son C. F. Wright. The Tobe would be consistent with the nickname Toby from the 1872 birth record for Robert Wright and the listing of Susan Lane as the mother is consistent with the 1870 and 1880 Census records if Susan (Lane) Wright was also known as Catherine Wright, or more fully Susan Catherine (Lane) Wright. This funeral home record appears to confirm the identity of Catherine Wright as the same person as Susan (Layne or Lane) Wright.

In her email dated October 19, 2001, Dale Holdren stated that the marriage record of Edward J. Wright and Annie Akers dated November 24, 1890, at Pulaski County, Virginia, listed his father as D. S. Wright, which is further confirmation of the identification of David Staples Wright as Tobe or Tobey Wright.

From the evidence set forth above and additional evidence set forth below, the children of 1894 David Staples "Toby" Wright of Amherst County and Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright were the following:

- 1) Edward Jackson Wright, born in about 1867 or 1868 at Nelson County, Virginia,
- 2) Samuel H. Wright, born in August 1867 or in about 1868 or 1869 at Nelson County, Virginia,

- 3) Robert D. Wright, born in about April or June 1870 or in about 1872 at Nelson County, Virginia,
- 4) Martha J. Wright, born on September 6, 1872, or in 1873 at Nelson County, Virginia,
- 5) Carrington Floyd "Doc" Wright, born on July 22, 1876, at Nelson County, Virginia,
- 6) Violetta Wright, born on November 12, 1878, at Nelson County, Virginia, and
 - 7) Wright, born on March 10, 1881, at Nelson County, Virginia.
 - i. 1930 Edward Jackson Wright Of Appomattox County,
 His Wife Nannie Ellen (Akers) Wright, And His
 Descendants

1930 Edward Jackson Wright of Appomattox County was a son of 1894 David Staples Wright of Amherst County and Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright. (Robert, Sr.¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1894 David Staples⁴)

The 1870 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Edward J. Wright in the David Wright household on August 5, 1870, and his age as 3 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1867.

The 1880 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Edward Wright in the David Wright household on June 4, 1880, and his age as 13 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1867.

The marriage record of Edward J. Wright and Annie Akers was dated on November 24, 1890, at Pulaski County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Marriage License Virginia, Pulaski County to wit:

To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia Mr Edward J Wright and Miss Annie Akers.

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Pulaski this 24th day of Novr 1890

R D Gardner Clerk

Time of Marriage, Novr 24/90
Place of Marriage, Pulaski Co Va
Full Names of Parties Married, as above Stated
Color, White
Age of Husband, 22 years
Age of Wife, 21 Years
Condition of Husband (widowed or single), Single
Condition of Wife (widowed or single), Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Nelson Co Va
Place of Wife's Birth, Montgomery Co Va
Place of Husband's Residence, Pulaski Co Va
Place of Wife's Residence, Do Do
Names of Husband's Parents D S & _____ Wright
Names of Wife's Parents, Jasper & Ellen Akers
Occupation of Husband, Fireman

Given under my hand this 24th day of Novr 1890

R D Gardner Clerk

Minister's Return of Marriage,

I Certify, That on the 24" day of Nov. 1890 at New River Va I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

Eugene Jones"

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Edward J. Wright with the following household on June 15, 1900:

	Lo	ocation		
In Cities Street	House <u>Number</u>	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
		218	218	Edward J Wright Nannie Wright William J. Wright Ada M Wright John E Wright Ella S Wright Floyd Wright Edward Wright Violet V Wright

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wife	9	W	F	Nov	1872	27	M		
Sor	1	W	M	Mar	1890	10	S		
dau	ıghter	W	F	Oct	1891	8	S		
Sor	•	W	М	Dec	1883	6	S		
dau	ıghter	W	F	May	1896	4	S		
Sor	•	W	М	Feb	1898	2	S		
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Education [cont'd]			Own	Ownership Of Home			
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<u>read</u>	<u>write</u>	<u>English</u>	or rented	<u>mortgaged</u>	<u>house</u>	<u>schedule</u>	
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Yes	No	Yes					
Yes	Yes	Yes					
Yes	No	Yes					
No	No	Yes					
No	No	Yes					
No	No	Yes					

The presence of his sister Violet V. Wright in the household confirms the identity of this Edward J. Wright as the Edward J. Wright from the David and Catherine households in the 1870 and 1880 Nelson County Censuses.

In her emails dated September 23, 2001, and November 6, 2001, Dale Holdren stated that Edward "Fattie" Jackson Wright was a son of David "Tobe or Toby" Staples Wrigth and Susan Catherine (Layne or Lane) Wright, was born on September 24, 1867, at New Market, Amherst County, Virginia, or Nelson County, Virginia, resided on November 24, 1890, at Pulaski County, Virginia, was a fireman, married Nannie Ellen Akers on November 24, 1890, at New River, Pulaski County, Virginia, died on February 24, 1930, at Appomattox County, Virginia, and was buried at Lynchburg, Virginia, that Nannie Ellen (Akers) Wright was born on November 11, 1870, at Montgomery County, Virginia, died on December 8, 1945, at Evergreen, Appomattox County, Virginia, and was buried at Lynchburg, Virginia, and that Edward Jackson Wright and Nannie Ellen (Akers) Wright had the following children:

- 1) John W. Wright, born on November 9, 1886, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 2) William H. Wright, born in March 1890,
 - 3) Hattie May Wright, born on October 9, 1891,
 - 4) Ada Mae Wright, born in May 1896,
- 5) Floyd Carrington Wright, born on February 14, 1897, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia,

- 6) Edward Jackson Wright, Jr., born in April 1898 at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 7) Addie May Wright, born on October 9, 1902, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia,
- 8) Violetta "Violet" (Wright) Parker, born on October 19, 1902, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 9) Jasper "Jack" David Wright, born in 1903 at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 10) Bessie Madison (Wright) Harding, born on January 14, 1905, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia,
- 11) George Robert "Bobby" Wright, born on April 7, 1908, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia,
- 12) Walter Akers Wright, born on August 17, 1909, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 13) Jacob Wright, born and died on December 11, 1911,
- 14) Juanita Bell (Wright) Smith, born on August 8, 1912, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia, and
- 15) Nannie Mae (Wright) (Baldwin) Seay, born on December 10, 1914, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia.
 - ii. Samuel H. Wright, His Wife Annie L. (Cooper) Wright,
 And His Descendants

Samuel H. Wright was a son of 1894 David Staples Wright of Amherst County and Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright. (Robert, Sr.¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1894 David Staples⁴)

The 1870 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Samuell Wright in the David Wright household on August 5, 1870, and his age as 2 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1868.

The 1880 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Saml Wright in the David Wright household on June 4, 1880, and his age as 11 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1869.

The marriage record of Samuel H. Wright, son of Davis S. and Catherine E. Wright, and Annie L. Cooper was dated on February 26, 1891, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Marriage License.
Virginia, Amherst County to wit:
To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Samuel H. Wright and Annie L. Cooper

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Amherst County this 26" day of February 1891

Ch L Ellis, Clerk.

Certificate to Obtain a Marriage License,

Time of Marriage, Feby 26"1891
Place of Marriage, Madison Amherst Co Va
Full Names of Parties Married, Samuel H. Wright and Annie L. Cooper
Color, White
Age of Husband, 22
Age of Wife, 24
Condition of Husband, (widowed or single,) Single
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single,) Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Nelson Co.
Place of Wife's Birth, Nelson Co.
Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst Co.
Place of Wife's Residence, Amherst Co.
Names of Husband's Parents, Davis S and Catherine E. Wright
Names of Wife's Parents, H W and Martha Cooper
Occupation of Husband, Ice manufacture

Given under my hand this 25" day of February 1891

Ch. L Ellis Clerk.

Minister's Return Of Marriage.

I Certify, That on the 26th day of February 1891, at Madison, Amherst Co Va I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

Jacob Manning"

On February 17, 1892, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. VV/52 Samuel H. Wright purchased from Thomas and Sara L. Whitehead a house in Madison, Virginia:

"This deed made this 17th day of Feby 1892, between Thos. Whitehead Jr. and Sara L. Whitehead his wife of the 1st part and Saml. H. Wright of the 2nd part. Witnesseth: that for and in consideration of the sum of Two hundred (200) dollars cash in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said parties of the 1st part do grant unto the said party of the 2d part the following property to wit: A certain House and lot in the town of Madison, Amherst County, Va. Said lot containing by survey made by M H Garland, one half acre and bounded as follows: beginning at the corner of George Gambles line and the Lynchburg and Amherst CH. road thence along said line N. 34-1/2° West 198 ft., thence N. 65 E 110 to stone, thence 34-1/2 E 198 feet to road, thence along road S. 65 W. 110 ft. to the beginning, and is the same property conveyed to the said Thos. Whitehead Jr. by A. T. Adkerson & wife by deed dated the 8th day of November 1889 and recorded in the Clerks office of Amherst County in deed book S.S. page 562.

The said Thos. Whitehead Jr. covenants that he will generally the property hereby conveyed

Witness the following signatures and seals.

Thos Whitehead, Jr. Sara L. Whitehead

Virginia, Amherst County, to wit:

I, W A Irvin, a Justice of the peace for the county aforesaid in the State of Virginia do certify that Thos. Whitehead Jr. and Sara L. Whitehead, his wife, whose names are signed to the writing above bearing date the 17" day of Feby. 1892 have acknowledged the same before me.

Given under my hand this 17" day of Feby 1892.

Wm A. Irvin, J.P.

Virginia:

In the Clerk's office of Amherst County Court, June 11th 1894.

This deed was this day received in said office and upon the annexed certificate of acknowledgments admitted to record.

Teste:

Wm Sandidge, Clerk"

The birth record of David Wright, son of Sam H. and Annie Wright, was dated on September 13, 1896, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: David Wright

Date of Birth: September 13, 1896

Color: White Sex: Female

Father's Name: Sam H Wright

Mother's Name: Annie No. at Birth: 1"

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Samuel H. Wright with the following household on June 2, 1900:

		<u>Location</u>			
<u>In Cities</u> Street	House Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.	
		56	61	Samuel H Wright Annie L Wright David W Wright Samuel D Wright	

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Wife		W	F	Jan		867	33		М
Son		W	М	Aug		895	4		S
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Education [cont'd]			Ow	Ownership Of Home			
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Yes Yes	Yes Yes	Yes Yes	Ο	F			

On October 6, 1900, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. ZZ/475 Samuel H. Wright and his wife Annie L. Wright sold to Daniel L. and Grace A. Chick the one-half acre of land purchased by Amherst County Deed VV/52:

"This deed made this 6th day of October 1900, between Samuel H. Wright and Annie L. Wright his wife of the one part, and Daniel L Chick and Grace A. Chick of the other.

Witnesseth: that for and in consideration of the sum of Six Hundred and fifty dollars \$650.00 in cash this day paid by the said David L. Chick and Grace A. Chick parties of the second part to the said Samuel H. Wright the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said parties of the first part doth hereby grant and convey with general Warranty of title unto the said Daniel L. Chick, and Grace A. Chick, (wife of said Daniel L. Chick) parties of the second part, all of that certain lot or parcel of ground with the buildings and appurtenances thereto attached or belonging in Amherst County in the town of Madison, Containing one half acre of land, and bounded as followers, beginning at the corner of George Gamble's line and the Lynchburg and Amherst road, thence along said line N. 34-1/2° W. 198, feet, thence N. 65 E 110 feet to stone, thence 34-1/2° E. 198 feet to road, thence along said road S. 65 W. 100 feet to the beginning, said propity is the same conveyed by Thos Whitehead Jr. and Sara his wife to Samuel H. Wright and from A. O. Atkinson and wife to Thos Whitehead Jr. D.B. S.S. p. 562-3 with which latter deed there is a plot or survey of M. H. Garland on page 563, to which reference is particulary made for a full and complete description of this lot. The grantors covenant that they have the right to convey, that they have done no act to encumber said land, and that they will execute such other assurance as may be necessary to make a complete and perfect titled to the land hereby conveyed

Witness the following signatures and seals the day and year first above written.

U.S. Int. \$1.00 Rev Stamp Samuel H. Wright Annie L. Wright

Virginia, City of Lynchburg to-wit:

I, B. E. Hughes a Notary Public in and for the City aforesaid, (And for the County of Campbell) do hereby certify that Samuel H. Wright and Annie L. Wright his wife Whose names are signed to the above writing bearing date on the 6th day of October 1900, personally appeared before me in my City aforesaid and acknowledged the same.

Given under my hand this 6th day of Oct 1900.

B. E. Hughes N.P.

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Amherst County, Nov. 15th 1900. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the certificate of acknowledgments thereto annexed admitted to record.

Teste: W. E. Sandidge Clerk"

On September 20, 1902, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. 52/478 Samuel H. Wright purchased from Z. T. and Bettie S. Cooper a new lot in Madison, Virginia:

"This Deed, made this 20th day of September 1902, between Z. T. Cooper, and Bettie S. his wife, of the first part and Samuel H. Wright of the second part:

Witnesseth: That for and in consideration of the sum of Ninety-five dollars cash in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged the said parties of the first part do hereby grant bargain sell and convey to the party of the second part the following described property, to wit: All that certain lot of land situated in the town of Madison Amherst Co., Va., on the east side of the main county road leading from Amherst Co. Ho. to Lynchburg, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point on the said road at the corner of Calvin Chenault's property and running with the line of said Chenault and Butler and McLeod up the hill in a straight line one hundred (100) ft to a corner with said line, thence at right angles along Butler and McLeod's line sixty four ft (64 ft) to corner with Irvin's line thence at right angle along said line and down the hill one hundred and ten (110) ft. to the before mentioned road; thence along said road seventy-five (75) ft to the beginning; containing one third of an acre more or less; it being the same property heretofore conveyed by William H. Lawhorn and wife to Robt L. Gilliam by deed of the fifteenth of February, 1892, and by said Gilliam and wife conveyed to C. P. Shaner by deed of July 1st 1892, and of record in the Clerk's office of Amherst County in deed Deed Book "V.V." page 384 to which reference is here made.

The parties of the first part covenant to warrant generally the property hereby conveyed; that they have done no act to encumber the same and that the grantee shall have quiet possession of said land free from all encumbrances, and that they; the party of the first part, will execute such further assurance of said land as may be requisite.

Witness the following signatures and seals.

Z. T. Cooper

her

Bettie S

X Cooper

mark

State of Virginia, City of Richmond, To wit:

I, Marvin J. Taylor, a Notary Public in and for the City aforesaid in the State of Virginia, do hereby certify that Z. T. Cooper, and Bettie S., his wife, whose names are signed to the above deed bearing date on the 20th day of September, 1902, have each acknowledged the same before me in my City aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of September, 1902.

Marvin J Taylor Notary Public

My Commission expires June 21 1905.

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Amherst County, January 19th, 1903. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the certificate of Acknowledgments thereto annexed was admitted to record.

Teste:

W. E. Sandidge, Clerk."

iii. Robert D. Wright

Robert D. Wright was a son of 1894 David Staples

Wright of Amherst County and Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright. (Robert, Sr.¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1894 David Staples⁴)

The 1870 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Robert D. Wright in the David Wright household on August 5, 1870, and his age as 2/12 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 18 June 1870.

The birth record of Robert Wright, son of Toby and Susan Wright, was dated in April 1872 at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Robt Wright

Date of Birth:

April 1872

Color:

White

Sex: Born: Male Alive

Place of Birth: Father's Name:

Nelson County

Father's Occupation:

Toby Wright Lock keeper

Father's Residence:

Nelson County

Mother's Name:

Susan Wright

How many:

1

Informant:

Toby Wright

Relationship:

Father"

This was probably the birth record for Robert D. Wright listed in the 1870 Census in the David Wright household. The date of the birth record was probably misrecorded as 1872, rather than 1870. As will be set forth below, the Duiguid Funeral Home Records listed the father of Edward Jackson Wright as David Tobe Wright and the mother as Susan Layne. Toby was apparently a nickname for David Staples Wright.

The 1880 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Robert Wright in the David Wright household on June 4, 1880, and his age as 10 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1870.

iv. Martha J. Or N. Wright

Martha J. or N. Wright was a daughter of 1894 David

Staples Wright of Amherst County and Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright. (Robert, Sr.¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1894 David Staples⁴)

The birth record of Martha J. Wright, daughter of David and Susan Wright, was dated on September 6, 1873, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Martha J Wright

Date of Birth:

September 6, 1873

Color:

White

Sex: Born: Female Alive

Place of Birth:

Nelson

Father's Name: Father's Occupation:

David Wright Lock Keeper

Father's Residence:

Nelson

Mother's Name:

Susan Wright

How many:

1

Deformity:

None

Informant:

David Wright

Relationship:

Father"

This child would have been named for Susan Catherine (Lane) Wright's mother.

The death record of Martha N. Wright, daughter of David and Susan Wright, was dated on February 5, 1873, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Deceased:

Martha N Wright

Date of Death:

February 5, 1873

Color: Sex: White Female

Place: Cause:

Nelson County Strangulation

Age:

5 mos 1 day

Parents:

David & Susan Wright

Born: Informant: Nelson Co Va David Wright

Relationship:

Father"

The names of the parents and the age at death of 5 months make clear that this Martha N. Wright was the same person as Martha J. Wright of the birth record. Since the year of her brother Robert Wright's birth date was incorrectly listed, it seems likely that the year of Martha J. Wright's birth date was also incorrectly listed and that Robert Wright was born in 1870 and Martha J. Wright was born in September 1872 and then this death record would correctly list her death 5 months later in February 1873.

v. 1952 Carrington Floyd "Doc" Wright Of Newport

News, His Wives Margaret Louise (Hughes) Wright

And Virginia "Virgie" Dare (Sledge) Wright, And His

Descendants

1952 Carrington Floyd "Doc" Wright was a son of 1894 David Staples Wright of Amherst County and Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright. (Robert, Sr.¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1894 David Staples⁴)

In her email dated October 19, 2001, Dale Holdren stated that Carrington Floyd "Doc" Wright was a son of David Staples Wright and Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright, was born on July 22, 1876, at Nelson County, Virginia, married first Margaret Louise Hughes, married second Virginia "Virgie" Dare Sledge on December 25, 1925, at Newport News, Virginia, died on February 16, 1952, and was buried at Newport News, Virginia, that Margaret Louise (Hughes) Wright was born at Nelson County and died in 1925, and that Virginia "Virgie" Dare (Sledge) Wright was born on April 18, 1894, at Fairfax County, North Carolina, and died on May 24, 1980, and that Carrington Floyd Wright and Margaret Louise (Hughes) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Carrington Floyd "Hank" Wright, born on May 21, 1902,
- 2) Howard "Shindy" Quincy Wright, born on February 7, 1909,
- 3) Samuel Dotridge Wright, born on January 5, 1912,
- 4) Malcolm "Sally" Woodrow Wright, born on January 24, 1913,
- 5) Lemuel Bland Wright, born on December 25, 1917, and
- 6) Robert E. Lee "Bob" Wright, and

that Carrington Floyd Wright and Virginia Dare (Sledge) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Elizabeth "Tookie" Lee Wright, and
- 2) Margerette "Boody" Gwendolyn Wright.
 - vi. <u>Violetta Or Violet V. Wright</u>

Violetta or Violet V. Wright was a daughter of 1894

David Staples Wright of Amherst County and Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright. (Robert, Sr.¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1894 David Staples⁴)

The birth record of Violetta Wright, daughter of David and Catharine E. Wright, was dated on November 12, 1878, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Violetta Wright

Date of Birth:

November 12, 1878

Color: Sex: White Female

Sex: Born:

Alive

Place of Birth: Father's Name:

Nelson County David Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Nelson Co.

Mother's Name:

Catharine E. Wright

How many:

1

Deformity:

None

Informant:

Parent"

The 1880 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Violet Wright in the David Wright household and her age as 1 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1879.

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Violet V. Wright in the Edward J. Wright household, her relationship as sister and her birth in January 1878 at Virginia.

vii. Wright

____ Wright was a son of 1894 David Staples Wright

of Amherst County and Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright. (Robert, Sr.¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, 1894 David Staples⁴)

The birth record of ____ Wright, son of David S. Wright and Susan Wright, was dated on March 10, 1881, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Not named Wright

Date of Birth:

March 10, 1881 White

Color: Sex:

Male

Born:

Alive

Place of Birth: Father's Name:

Nelson Co Va David S. Wright

Father's Occupation:

Lock Keeper

Father's Residence:

Nelson Co Va

Mother's Name:

Susan Wright

How many:

1

Informant:

Father"

The death record of ____ Wright, son of David S. and Susan Wright, was dated on June 1, 1881, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Deceased:

Wright

Date of Death:

June 1, 1881

Color:

White

Sex: Place: Male Nelson Co Va

Cause:

Parents:

Consumption

Age:

2 mos 8 days

Born:

David & Susan Wright

Consort of:

Nelson Single

Informant:

David S Wright

Relationship:

Father"

Thomas Wright e.

Thomas Wright was a son of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.3)

The Family Bible of Robert D. Wright included in Pension File WC 11583 listed the birth of Thomas Wright on January 7, 1831, and his death on October 27, 1840:

". . . . Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795

Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

Eliza Jane Wright was Born Septr 3 1821

Faalding Hobson Wright was Born July 20 1823

Sterling Charles Wright was Born Septr 10 1825

David Staples Wright was Born July 19 1828

Thomas Wright was Born Jany 7 1831 and departed this life October 22 1840 "

f. Mary Ann (Wright) Casey Or Kersey Or Cary, Her Husband Edward H. Casey Or Kersey Or Cary, And Her Descendants Mary Ann (Wright) Casey or Kersey or Cary was a daughter of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and his wife Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood)

Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³)

The Family Bible of Robert D. Wright included in Pension File WC 11583 listed the birth of Mary Ann Wright on October 19, 1833:

". . . . Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795

Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

Eliza Jane Wright was Born Septr 3 1821

Faalding Hobson Wright was Born July 20 1823

Sterling Charles Wright was Born Septr 10 1825

David Staples Wright was Born July 19 1828

Thomas Wright was Born Jany 7 1831 and departed this life October 22 1840 Mary Ann Wright Wright was Born 19th of October 1833 "

The marriage record of Mary Ann Wright and Edward H. Casey was dated on January 26, 1854, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"To the Clerk of the County Court of Amherst in the State of Virginia.

I hereby Certify, That the following is a correct Statement of a Marriage solemnized by me in the County aforesaid:

Date of Marriage, January 26th 1854
Place of Marriage, Amherst County
Full Names of Parties married, Edward H Cassy Mary Ann Wright
Age of Husband, 25 years
Age of Wife, 21 do
Condition of Husband, (widowed or single,) Single
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single,) Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Amherst
Place of Wife's Birth, Amherst
Names of Husband's Parents, Joshua & Mary Cassey
Names of Wife's Parents, Robert & Nelly Wright

Occupation of Husband, Laibourer

Given under my hand as a Minister of the Gospel (legally authorized to solemnize Marriages,) this 20th day of March A.D. 1854

Daniel Day"

This record indicates that Mary Ann (Wright) Casey was born in about 1833 and that Edward H. Casey was born in about 1829.

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Mary Kersey in the Robert D. C. Wright household on June 30, 1870, and her age as 34 and born in Virginia,

indicating a date of birth in about 1836, and listed with her were Wesley Kersey, age 14, and Eliza J. Kersey, age 16.

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Mary Cary in the Ellen Wright household on June 3, 1880, and her relationship as daughter and her age as 40 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1840.

The complaint of Wright v. Wright in Amherst County, Virginia Chancery Court, no file number, also identified Mary Ann (Wright) Casey as a daughter of Robert D. Wright:

".... said Robert D. Wright who died intestate and leaving as his heirs at law your orator, Danl S. Wright, Robert D. Wright, Mary Ann Wright who is now Mary Ann Casey and Cynthia A. Wright who is now Cynthia A. Linthicum"

i. Eliza J. Casey Or Kersey Or Cary

Eliza J. Casey or Kersey or Cary was a daughter of

Mary Ann (Wright) Casey or Kersey and Edward H. Casey or Kersey. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, Mary Ann⁴)

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Eliza J. Kersey in the Robert D. C. Wright household on June 30, 1870, and her age as 16 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1854, and also listed Mary Kersey, age 34.

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Eliza Cary in the Ellen Wright household on June 3, 1880, and her relationship as daughter, although this should be listed as granddaughter, and her age as 23 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1857.

ii. Wesley Casey Or Kersey Or Cary

Wesley Casey or Kersey or Cary was a son of Mary

Ann (Wright) Casey or Kersey and Edward H. Casey or Kersey. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, Mary Ann⁴)

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Wesley Kersey in the Robert D. C. Wright household on June 30, 1870, and his age as 14 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1856, and also listed Mary Kersey, age 34.

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Wesley Cary in the Ellen Wright household on June 3, 1880, and her relationship as son, although this should be

listed as grandson, and his age as 21 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1859.

g. Robert Doss Wright, His Wives Margaret A. (Mason) Wright

And Sarah Courtland (Poindexter) Wright, And His

Descendants

Robert Doss Wright was a son of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and his wife Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³)

The Family Bible of Robert D. Wright included in Pension File WC 11583 listed the birth of Robert Doss Wright on June 2, 1836:

". . . . Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795

Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

Eliza Jane Wright was Born Septr 3 1821

Faalding Hobson Wright was Born July 20 1823

Sterling Charles Wright was Born Septr 10 1825

David Staples Wright was Born July 19 1828

Thomas Wright was Born Jany 7 1831 and departed this life October 22 1840

Mary Ann Wright Wright was Born 19th of October 1833

Robt Doss Wright was Born June 2, 1836 "

The marriage record of Robert D. Wright and Margaret A. Mason was dated on January 5, 1858, at Campbell County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"To the Clerk of the County Court of Campbell County in the State of Virginia.

I hereby certify, That the following is a correct Statement of a Marriage solemnized by me in the County aforesaid:

Date of Marriage, January 5th 1858

Place of Marriage, Campbell County Va

Full Names of Parties married, Robt. D. Wright & Margaret A. Mason

Age of Husband, twenty one years old

Age of Wife, twenty one years old

Condition of Husband, (widowed or single,) Single

Condition of Wife, (widowed or single,) Single

Place of Husband's Birth, Born in Amherst Co. Va.

Place of Wife's Birth, Born in Charlotte Co. Va.

Place of Husband's Residence, Resides in Amherst Co. Va

Place of Wife's Residence, Resides in Campbell Co. Va Names of Husband's Parents, Robert & Ellen Wright Names of Wife's Parents, George W. & Parthenia R. Mason Occupation of Husband, Blacksmith

Given under my hand as a Minister of the M.E. Church, South (legally authorized to solemnize Marriages,) this fifth day of January A.D. 1858

Geo. W. Carter"

The death record of Martha Wright, daughter of Mason and consort of George Wright, was dated in January 1858 at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Place of Death: Amherst County, Virginia

Line Number: 24

Name of Deceased: Martha Wright

Race: White Sex: Female Age: 21

Date of Death: January (Day Not Stated), 1858

Place: Amherst County, Virginia

Cause of Death: Consumption

Name of Parents:

Birthplace of Deceased:
Occupation:
Consort of:
Name of Informant:

Relation of Informant:

Mason
Amherst
Not Stated
Geo. Wright
T. W. Jones
Not Stated

Commissioner of the Revenue: T. A. Brown

Date Record Filed: Between 1858 and 1896"

The informant on this death record or the clerk appear to have confused their information. The marriage record of Margaret A. (Mason) Wright listed her father as George W. Mason and that is consistent with the listing of the parents as Mason in this record. Her husband was Robert Doss Wright, but the informant appears to have confused her father's first name with her husband's last name. And finally, the decedent is listed as Martha, rather than Margaret. Notwithstanding these confusing errors, this is probably the death record of Margaret A. (Mason) Wright.

The 1860 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Robert D. Wright in the James M. Spiller household:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	Occupation		Value of Real Estate
James M Sp Caroline Spi Geo Spiller Hollis Spiller Antonia Spill Hamilton Sp Fula Spiller Elliott Spiller Ro D Wright	ller ler iller	50 42 15 11 9 7 6 2	M F M F M F M		Contractor o	n Pub work	10,000
Value of Personal <u>Property</u> 50,000	Place o Birth Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia		Marr With <u>Year</u>	in	Attended School <u>Within Year</u>	Cannot Read & <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb Blind Insane etc.

This record indicates that Robert Doss Wright was born in about 1835. This record is consistent with the death record of Martha/Margaret Wright listed above.

The marriage record of Robert Doss(?) or Dades(?) Wright and Sarah Courtland Poindexter was dated on April 21, 1870, at Nelson County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Marriage License.

Virginia - County of Nelson to wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Robert D Wright and Sarah Courtland Poindexter

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Nelson County this 20th of April 1870

W. P. Brinton Clerk.

Certificate To Obtain A Marriage License

Time of Marriage, April 21st 1870
Place of Marriage, Nelson County
Full names of Parties Married, Robert Doss(?) & Sarah Courtland
Age of Husband, 23 yrs 11 mos & 18 days
Age of Wife, 19 years
Condition of Husband (widowed or single), Single
Condition of Wife (widowed or single), Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Appomattox County
Place of Wife's Birth, Nelson County
Place of Husband's Residence, Nelson County
Place of Wife's Residence, Nelson County
Names of Husband's Parents, Robert D & Nellie Wright
Names of Wife's Parents, William & Ann Poindexter
Occupation of Husband, Mechanic

Given under my hand this 20th day of April 1870.

W. P. Brinton Clerk.

Minister's Return Of Marriage

I Certify, that on the 21st day of April, 1870 at Mrs. Ann Poindexters, I united in marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

J. C. Richardson"

The information is partly inconsistent with the other information known for Robert Doss Wright, but this is nevertheless probably Robert Doss Wright. The year of birth is 10 years off, but subtracting the age in months and days makes the date of birth almost exactly June 2, as in the Bible record. And while this Robert Wright is described as single, the very short marriage to Margaret A. (Mason) Wright was probably treated by Robert Doss Wright as no marriage and thus his description of himself as single.

The 1870 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Robert Wright with the following household:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	Sex	Color	<u>Occupatio</u>	<u>n</u>	Valu <u>Rea</u>	e of <u>l Estate</u>
Robert Wr Cora Wrig	0	26 20	M F	W W	Farm labo Keeping h			
Value of Personal <u>Property</u>	Place <u>Birth</u> Virgin	- ia	Marri Withi <u>Year</u>		Born Within <u>Year</u>	Attended School Within Ye	<u>ar</u>	Cannot <u>Read</u>
Cannot <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb Bli Insane or		Male Citize <u>Over</u>		Male Citize Over 21 Wi Right to Vo	thout		

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This was probably Robert Doss Wright and the census taker may have miswritten Sarah Courtland (Poindexter) Wright as Cora Wright.

The complaint of Wright v. Wright in Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court, no file number, also identified Robert D. Wright as a son of Robert D. Wright:

". . . . said Robert D. Wright who died intestate and leaving as his heirs at law your orator, Danl S. Wright, Robert D. Wright, Mary Ann Wright who is now Mary Ann Casey and Cynthia A. Wright who is now Cynthia A. Linthicum"

The birth record of Royal Wright, son of Robert D. and Sarah Wright, was dated on January 7, 1878, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: Date of Birth: Royal Wright January 7, 1878

Color: White Sex: Male Born: Alive

Place of Birth: Nelson County Father's Name: Robert D. Wright

Father's Occupation: Farmer
Father's Residence: Nelson Co.
Mother's Name: Sarah Wright

How many:

Deformity:

None

Informant:

Parent

The birth record of Royal Wright, son of Robert D. and Sarah Wright, was listed again with the birth on January 7, 1879, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Royal Wright

Date of Birth:

January 7, 1879

Color:

White

Sex: Born: Male Alive

Place of Birth:

Nelson

Father's Name:

Robert D Wright

Father's Occupation: Father's Residence:

Farmer Nelson

Mother's Name:

Sarah C Wright

How many:

1

Deformity: Informant:

None Parents

The death record of Royal Wright, son of Robert B. and Sarah O. Wright, was dated on December 27, 1879, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Deceased: Royal Wright Date of Death: December 27, 1879

Color: White Sex: Male Place: Nelson Cause: mumps Age: 11 mo 10 days

Parents: Ro B & Sarah O Wright

Born: Nelson County Occupation: None Consort of: Single Informant: Mother"

The 1880 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Robert Wright in the Ann Poindexter household on June 17, 1880:

		<u>Color</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Birth</u>	Relationship
Ann E Poindexter Robert D Wright Sarah Wright Florence Wright		W W W	F M F F	53 42 29 6		Wife Daughter
Marital [Married During <u>Year</u>	Occupa Keeping Blacksr	g House	Į	Months Jnem- bloyed	Sickness Blind Deaf & Dumb Idiotic Disabled
Attended School Within Year	Cannot <u>Read</u>	Cannot <u>Write</u> 1	<u>Born</u> Virgi Virgi Virgi Virgi	nia nia nia	Father Born Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia	Mother <u>Born</u> Va Va Va Va

This record indicates that Sarah Courtland (Poindexter) Wright was born in about 1851.

i. Florence Wright

Florence Wright was a daughter of Robert Doss Wright and Sarah Courtland (Poindexter) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³, Robert Doss⁴)

The 1880 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Florence Wright in the Ann Poindexter household on June 17, 1880, with her parents Robert Wright and Sarah Wright and her age as 6 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1874.

ii. <u>1879 Royal Wright Of Nelson County</u>

1879 Royal Wright of Nelson County was a son of Robert Doss Wright and Sarah Courtland (Poindexter) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert Doss⁴)

The birth record of Royal Wright, son of Robert D. and Sarah Wright, was dated on January 7, 1878, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: Royal Wright

Date of Birth: January 7, 1878

Color: White Sex: Male Born: Alive

Place of Birth: Nelson County Father's Name: Robert D. Wright

Father's Occupation: Farmer
Father's Residence: Nelson Co.
Mother's Name: Sarah Wright

How many: 1
Deformity: None
Informant: Parent

The birth record of Royal Wright, son of Robert D. and Sarah Wright, was listed again with the birth on January 7, 1879, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: Royal Wright Date of Birth: January 7, 1879

Color: White Sex: Male Born: Alive Place of Birth: Nelson

Father's Name: Robert D Wright

Father's Occupation: Farmer Father's Residence: Nelson

Mother's Name: Sarah C Wright

How many: 1

Deformity: None Informant: Parents

The death record of Royal Wright, son of Robert B. and Sarah O. Wright, was dated on December 27, 1879, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Deceased: Royal Wright Date of Death: December 27, 1879

Color: White Sex: Male Place: Nelson Cause: mumps Age: 11 mo 10 days

Parents: Ro B & Sarah O Wright

Born: Nelson County Occupation: None Consort of: Single Informant: Mother"

iii. <u>1890 Ernest V. Wright Of Nelson County</u>

1890 Ernest V. Wright of Nelson County was a son of

Robert Doss Wright and Sarah Courtland (Poindexter) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert Doss⁴)

The death record of Ernest V. Wright, son of Ro. D. and Sarah C. Wright, was dated on June 30, 1890, at Nelson County, Virginia:

"Name of Deceased: Ernest V. Wright

Date of Death: June 30, 1890

Color: White Sex: Male Place: Nelson

Cause: Info_tion Stomach

Age: 2 yrs 4 mos

Parents: Ro. D & Sarah C

Born: Nelson

Informant: S. C. Wright Relationship: Mother"

This record indicates that Ernest V. Wright was born in about March 1888.

h. William Poncel Wright

William Poncel Wright was a son of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³)

The Family Bible of Robert D. Wright included in Pension File WC 11583 listed the date of birth of William Poncel Wright on May 9, 1840:

". . . . Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795 Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

. . . .

William Poncel Wright was Born may 9 1840 "

The 1860 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed William Wright in the Robert D. Wright household and his age as 21 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1839, and his occupation as laborer.

The <u>28th Virginia Infantry</u> stated that William P. Wright enlisted as a private on April 21, 1861, in Company F of the 28th Virginia Infantry Regiment, was then 20 years old, a farmer, and resided at Good's Crossing, was wounded in action on June 6, 1862, was wounded in action again on September 17, 1862, at Sharpsburg, was at home until August 1863, was wounded on June 4, 1864, by being shot in the hand, was captured as a prisoner of war on August 28, 1864, was exchanged on October 30, 1864, at Point Lookout, and was present in December 1864. This was probably William Poncel Wright, a son of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County, but further research will be required to confirm this identification.

i. Cynthia Ann (Wright) Linthicum And Her HusbandNewton A. Linthicum

Cynthia Ann (Wright) Linthicum was a daughter of 1873 Robert D. Wright of Amherst County and his wife Eleanor or Ellen T. (Hood) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1873 Robert D.³)

The Family Bible of Robert D. Wright included in Pension File WC 11583 listed the date of birth of Cynthia Ann Wright on October 22, 1844:

". . . . Robt D Wright was Bourn march 16th 1795 Eleanor T. hood his wife was Bourn June 11th 1800 and was maried november the 9 1820

. . . .

Cynthia Ann Wright daughter of the same was Born October 22th 1844 "

The 1860 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Sinthia Wright in the Robert D. Wright household and her age as 14 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1846.

The complaint of Wright v. Wright in Amherst County, Virginia, Chancery Court, no file number, identified Cynthia A. (Wright) Linthicum as a daughter of Robert D. Wright:

".... said Robert D. Wright who died intestate and leaving as his heirs at law your orator, Danl S. Wright, Robert D. Wright, Mary Ann Wright who is now Mary Ann Casey and Cynthia A. Wright who is now Cynthia A. Linthicum"

The marriage record of Cynthia A. Wright and Newton A. Linthicum was dated on December 16, 1872, at Amherst County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Time of Marriage,
Place of Marriage
Full names of Parties Married, Newton A. Linthicum & Cynthia A. Wright
Colour, White
Age of Husband, 23 years
Age of Wife, 23 years
Condition of Husband (widowed or single) Single
Condition of Wife (widowed or single) Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Amherst
Place of Wife's Birth, Amherst
Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst
Place of Wife's Residence, Amherst
Names of Husband's Parents, Ro .N. & Juliann Lanthicum
Names of Wife's Parents, Robert & Ellen T. Wright
Occupation of Husband, Blacksmith

Given under my hand this 16th day of December 1872

Ch. L Ellis Clerk.

Minister's Return Of Marriage.

I Certify, that on the 18 day of December 1872, at Mrs. Wrights I united in Mariage the above named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

S C. Allen"

2. Polly (Wright) Askew Or Asher And Her Husband Tarlton N. Askew Or Asher

Polly (Wright) Askew or Asher was a daughter of Charles Wright and Rachel (Doss) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles²)

The marriage record of Polly Wright, daughter of Charles Wright, and Tarlton N. Askew or Asher was dated on April 2, 1814, at Campbell County, Virginia:

"to the Clarke of Campbll

Mr John alexander Sir you may grant license to talton W. asher to mary my doter polly wright given under our hand this 21 day of march 18 14

Teste John Asher Jr James D. Cardwell Charles Wright Rachel Wright

Know all men by these presents that We Tarlton W. Asher and James D. Cardwell are held firmly bound unto James Barborer Governor of the state of Virginia in the sum of One hundred & fifty Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind Ourselves Our heirs Exors & admrs jointly & Severally firmly by these Presents Sealed & dated this 2d day of April 1814 - The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas there is a marriage shortly intended to be had and solemnized between the above bound Talton W. Askew and Polly Wright Daughter of Charles Wright of Campbell County - If therefore there be no legal cause to obstruct the Same then this obligation to be Void

Witness
Tho Mitchell, Jr.

Talton W. Asher James D Cardwell"

3. <u>Elizabeth (Wright) Foster And Her Husband John Foster</u>
Elizabeth (Wright) Foster was a daughter of Charles Wright and
Rachel (Doss) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles²)

The marriage record of Elizabeth Wright, daughter of Charles Wright, and John Foster was dated on October 9, 1821, at Campbell County, Virginia:

"To the Clark of Campbell Country Mr John Alexander

Sir you will please to grant Mr John foster Licenses to mary my daughter Elizabeth Wright Given under my hand this 9 day of October 1821

Teste

Charles Wright

William P. Wright

Know all men by these presents that we John Foster and William P Wright are held and firmly bound unto Thomas M Randolph Esquire Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia in the Sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to which payment well and truly to be made to the Said Thomas M Randolph or his Successors we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and admrs Jointly and

Severally firmly by these presents Sealed and dated this 9th day of October 1821

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas there is a marriage Shortly intended to be had and Solemnized between the above bound John Foster and Elizabeth Wright daughter of Charles Wright of Campbell County

If therefore there be no lawful cause to obstruct the same then this Obligation to be Void

Witness

John Foster

his

William P

X Wright

mark"

4. <u>1881 William P. Wright Of Appomattox County, His Wife Helena</u>

() Wright, And His Descendants

1881 William P. Wright of Appomattox County was a son of

Charles Wright and Rachel (Doss) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles²)

The 1824 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household on April 15:

Date of receiving lists from individuals	Persons names charged with the tax	Slaves above 12 years <u>of age</u>	mares Colts &	Stud horses riding carri- ages &c	Amount of Tax in Dollars \$ cts
April 15	William P Wright		1		.12

The 1826 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household on April 26:

Date of		Slaves	Horses
receiving lists	Persons Names	above 12	Mares Colts
from individuals	Chargeable with tax	 years of age	Mules &c
		_	
April 26	William P Wright		1

Stud Horses Jackasses Amount of Riding Carriages &c tax in \$ cts

.12

The 1829 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household on May 7:

Date of Receiving <u>lists</u>	Persons names chargeable with tax	White males over 16 years	Slaves over 16 <u>years of age</u>	Slaves between 12 & 16 years age
May 7	William P Wright	1		
Horses mares colts mules &c	Coaches Phaetons S waggons, Gigs, Carr Also Studs Jackasse	yalls &c /	Amount of tax	

The 1831 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household on April 29:

When <u>Taken</u>	Persons Chargeable with the Tax	Free Male tithes	Slaves above 16	Slaves above 12
Apr 29	William P Wright	1		
Horses Mares <u>&c</u>	Riding Carriages With their Value and Studs with price p Season	Dols <u>Cents</u>		

The 1838 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household on April 13:

When <u>Taken</u>	Persons Charged with the Tax	Free Nabove	lales 16 Yrs	Slaves above 16 Yrs Old	Slaves over 12 & under 16
Apr 13	William P. Wright		1		
Horses Asses Mules & Colts	Studs With the rate p S Pleasure Carriages & V		Revenu Dols Ct		
1			.08		

The 1839 Land Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name of the Owner		resid.	No. of Acres	<u>Description</u>	distance <u>& Bearing</u>
Helena V	Vright		100	Ws Wreck lland	29 W
rate <u>p Acre</u>	Value of improvms	Total <u>Value</u>	Total <u>tax</u>	Alterations since last report	
7.00	100.00	700.00	.70	from Henry Badd	ow Nat Hood

The 1840 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household on April 17:

When <u>Taken</u>	Persons Charged with the Tax	Free I	Males e 16 Yrs	Slaves above 16 <u>Yrs Old</u>	Slaves over 12 & under 16
Apr 13	William P. Wright	-	1		
Horses Asses Mules & Colts	Studs With the rate p S Pleasure Carriages & \		Revenu Dols Ct		
1			.08		

The 1840 Land Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name of Owner		resi- <u>dence</u>	kind of <u>estate</u>	No of Acres	description of the land		distance & bearing
Helena Wrig	ght	resid	fee	100	Ws W	reck Island	29 W
rate p Acre <u>Dols Cts</u>	Value o		total Value including buildings		Tax Dols Cts	Alterations the Assess	
7.00	100	.00	700.00		.70	from Est Na	thl. Hood

The 1840 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household:

Names of <u>Heads of Families</u>	Free White Persons <u>Males</u>	<u>Age</u>	Free White Persons Females	<u>Age</u>				
William P Wright	1 1 3	30-40 15-20 10-15	1	50-60				
Free Colored Free		Slaves <u>Males</u>		aves <u>emales</u> <u>Age</u>				
Number of	Persons in ea	ch Family						
Total Mining Agriculture	Navi- Navigation of Manufacture gation of canals lakes <u>Total Mining Agriculture Commerce and trades the ocean and rivers</u>							
6 4								
Learned profes- ary or Military Services sions and engineers Pensioners for Revolution- Deaf and Dumb, Blind and Insane White Persons included in the Foregoing Deaf and Dumb Blind Names Ages No. Ages								
Deaf and Dumb, Blind and Insane White Persons in the Foregoing [Continued] Insane and Idiots Insane and Insane and idiots at idiots at public charge private charge Deaf and Dumb, Blind and Insane Colored Persons Included in the Foregoing Deaf, Dumb, Insane and Insane and Insane and Insane and Deaf & idiots at idiots at Dumb Blind private charge								

Schools, &c.							
				Primary		No. of	
Univer-		Academies		and		Scholars	
sities or	Number of	& Grammar	No. of	Common	No. of	at pub-	
<u>College</u>	<u>Students</u>	Schools	<u>Scholars</u>	<u>Schools</u>	<u>Scholars</u>	lic charge	

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No. of white persons over 90 years of age in each family who cannot read or write

The 1841 Land Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Owners Names	Resi- dence	Kind of Estate	No. of Acres	Descrip or situa of the L	tion		nce & ng from ourt House
Helena Wright	res	fee	100	Ws Wre Island	eck		29 W
Value of Land pr acre including buildings	Value of Buildings	Total Va of Land <u>Building</u>	& R	evenue ols Cts		·	
7.00	100.00	700.0	0	88			

In her letter dated May 15, 1998, Norma D. Skinner enclosed extracts from <u>Historical Notes of Appomattox County, Virginia</u> which included the following listing regarding a vote on the establishment of the new county of Appomattox:

"A Poll was held, on April 22, 1841, at Oakville in Buckingham County.

For The New County

William P. Wright

The 1842 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household on March 30:

		Persons	s Charged	Free tithe <u>able</u>	- No S	Slaves 12 Yrs	No Sla over 16		No Horses Ass Mules Colts
	Mar 30	William	P Wright	3					2
	Value of R Carriages cluding ha	in- N	lo Gold Vatches	No Silver <u>Watches</u>	No Me Clocks			Value G & S <u>Plate</u>	
				Buckingham	County	, Virgini	a, listed	Heler	a Wright
with th	e following	property:	:	Kind of					
	Names of	<u>Owners</u>	Resi- dence	estate in fee or for life		Descri of the of Lan	Tract	Beari	nce & ng from ourt House
	Helena Wr	right			100	Ws W Island	reck	2	9 W
	Value of the Land p Acre \$ cts	Value or improve	ements	Total Value of the trace of Land \$ ct.	ct Tax Doll	ars	<u>Alteratio</u>	ons &	<u>Remarks</u>
	9.00	100	0.00	700.00	3.	38			
The 1843 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household on May 3:									
						Free <u>Males</u>	Slav abo	/es ve 12	Slaves over 16
	May 3	W	'illiam P W	Vright		2			
		Riding Ca with the V	_	<u>Piannoes</u>	Cloc	ks :	<u>Watche</u> :	<u>s</u> <u>l</u>	Revenue .28

The 1843 Land Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Names of Owne	ers	Resi- dence	Number Acres	<u>Description</u>	Distance & bearing from CH
Helena Wright			100	Ws Wr Isld	29 W
Value of <u>Land pr Acre</u>		Total Va of the La		last rep	oort
7.00	100.00	700.0	0 1.05	5	

The 1844 Land Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name of the Owner	Residence	Kind of <u>Estate</u>		Description of the tract of land
Helena Wright			100	Ws Wreck Island

Distance & Bearing from CH	Value of Land pr Acre Dol cts	Value of Buildings Dol.	Total Value of the Tract Dol Cts		
29 W	7.00	100.00	700.00	.88	

In 1845 Appoint County was formed from part of Buckingham County and the land of Helena Wright was thereafter listed in the Appoint County records.

The 1845 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household as a transfer from Buckingham County:

Persons Transferred from Buckingham County

<u>Name</u>	White Males Over 16
Wm. P. Wright	2

The 1845 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name Of Owner	<u>Residence</u>	Estate whether held in Fee simple, life &c	No. of <u>Acres</u>	Description of the land, as to water- courses mountains and contiguous tracts
Helena Wright			100	W Wreck Island
Distance and bearing from the courthouse	Value of land per acre, including buildings 7.00	d Sum adde to the land on account of building	d To nt of gs an	tal value the land <u>d buildings</u> 700.00
Am't of tax on the whole tact, at the legal rate	the	planation of a preceding ye m whom trans	ar, espec	O

.70

The 1846 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name Of Owner	Residen		ether held nple, life &c	No. of Acres
Helena Wright	Residen	t Fe	е	100
Description of the land, as to watercourses mountains and contiguous tracts Wreck Island	Distance and bearing from the courthouse 10 NW	Value of land per acre, including buildings	Sum adde to the land on account of buildings 100.00	_
Total value of the land and buildings	Am't of tax on the whole tract, at the legal rate	Explanation of the preceding from whom tra	year, especial	
700.00	.70			

904.

The 1847 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright with the following household:

		ons Chargo With Tax	e- 	White males above 16 years of age	Slaves above 16 years of age	Slaves above 12 <u>years of age</u>	
	William P Wright						
Horses Mules <u>&c</u>	4 whee sure ca and ha and val	rriages rness	Stages, and value, including harness	Carryalls and harness, and value	2 Wheel pleasure carriages and harness and value		
Patent le lepine sil		Oth <u>hes</u> <u>wat</u>	er Met ches cloc			late over the alue of \$50	
Physicians Attornies and surgeons paying specific tax, and am't of tax Am't of int. or profits on moneys loaned out, or on bonds acquired by purchase, including interest, profits, or dividends, on state or corporat'n bonds							
Am't of myearly incomparies or formal arrives	come ove eived as	sal- rent	of yearly a or value r	am't of yearly ent or value	Newspaper printing presses, and amount of tax	Total amount of tax Dollars Cents	

This listing was probably for 1881 William P. Wright of Appomattox County, but might be for William P. Wright, the son of Daniel P. Wright. However, in the 1848 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, both men were listed and the latter was identified as "(SD)", indicating son of Daniel, and the failure to so designate the William P. Wright of this record indicates that it was probably for 1881 William P. Wright.

The 1847 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name Of Owner		Residence		Estate whethe Fee simple, li		No. of <u>Acres</u>
Helena Wright		Resident	Fee			100
Description of the land, as to war courses mountain and contiguous tra Wreck Island	S	Distance and bearing from the courthouse		Value of land per acre, including buildings	Sum added to the land on account of buildings 100.00	
Total value of the land and buildings	the wl	of tax on hole tract, legal rate	p	xplanation of al receding year, o ansferred		•
700.00		.70				

The 1848 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed two William P. Wrights, one of who was designated as "(SD)", indicating son of Daniel, and was the son of Daniel P. Wright and the other of who had the following household on March 4:

	Persons Charge-				abo	te males ve 16 <u>rs of age</u>	Slaves above 16 years of ac		Slaves above 12 <u>years of age</u>
Mr 4	William P Wright					1			
Horses Mules <u>&c</u>	4 wheel pleasure carriage and harness and value	S	Stages and va includi harnes	alue, ing	and har	rryalls d ness, <u>d value</u>	2 Wheel ple sure carriag and harnes and value	ges	Gold watches
Patent le lepine sil	ver or ver watches	Othe wate		Meta		Other clocks	Pianos, and value		ate over the lue of \$50

Attornies paying specific tax, and am't of tax	paying cific tax	•	Dentists paying spe-cific tax, and amount of tax		ac int	loaned out, or on bonds acquired by purchase, including interest, profits, or dividends, on state or corporat'n bonds		
Am't of monied yearly income \$400 received	over	Bridges- am't of y rent or v	early	Ferries- am't of ye rent or val	•	Newspaper printing presses, and	Total amount of tax Dollars	

Am't of int. or profits on moneys

over \$100 amount of tax Cents

Physicians

aries or fees of office over \$100

The 1848 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name Of Owner		<u>Residen</u>	<u>ce</u>	Estate whe held in Fee simple, life)	No. of <u>Acres</u>
Helena Wright		Residen	t	fee		100
Description of the land, as to water-courses mountain and contiguous tra	ıs	Distance and bearing from the courthouse	per a	e of land cre, includ- uildings 7.00	Sum add to the lan on accou of buildin 100.00	d nt
Total value of the land and buildings	who	t of tax on the le tract, ne legal rate	the p	nation of alto receding yea whom transf	ır, especial	•
700.00		.70				

The 1849 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed two William P. Wrights, one of who was designated as "(SD)", indicating son of Daniel, and was the son of Daniel P. Wright and the other of who had the following household on February 8:

	Persons (•		White mabove 1	6	Slaves above 16 years of age	Slaves above 12 years of age
Feby 8	William	P Wright		1			
Horses Mules <u>&c</u>	4 wheel ple sure carriag and harnes and value	ges and v	alue, ling	Carryal and harness and val	S,	2 Wheel plea sure carriage and harness and value	
Patent le lepine sil	ver or ver watches	Other <u>watches</u>	Meta <u>clock</u>		ner <u>cks</u>	•	Plate over the value of \$50
Attornies paying sp cific tax, am't of ta	oe- paying and cific ta	ırgeons D ı spe- p x, and c	entista aying ific tax mount	spe-	loar acqı inte	ned out, or on	ase, including r dividends,
\$400 rec	nonied come over eived as sal- ees of office	Bridges- am't of yea rent or valu over \$100	arly a ue re	erries- m't of ye ent or val ver \$100	arly p	Newspaper printing presses, and amount of tax	Total amount of tax Dollars Cents
The 1849	P Land Tax L	ist for Appo	mattox	c County	, Virg	inia, listed He	ena Wright
he followin	g property:						
Name Of	- Owner	Res	idenc			whether held	No. of

with th

Name Of Owner	Residenc	<u>e</u> <u>in Fee sin</u>	nple, life &c	<u>Acres</u>
Helena Wright	Resident	ir	ı fee	100
Description of the land, as to water-courses mountains and contiguous tracts	Distance and bearing from the courthouse	Value of land per acre, including buildings	Sum added to the land on account of buildings	
Wreck Island	10 NW	7.00	100.00	

Total value of the land <u>and buildings</u>	Am't of tax on the whole tract, at the legal rate	Explanation of alterations during the preceding year, especially from whom transferred
700.00	.70	

The 1850 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed two William P. Wrights, one of who was designated as "(SD)", indicating son of Daniel, and was the son of Daniel P. Wright and the other of who had the following household:

		ns Charge- Vith Tax		abov	e males e 16 s of age	r	Male free negroes above sixteen	Slaves above 16 year of age	Slaves above s 12 years of age
	Williar	n P Wright			1				
Horses Mules <u>&c</u>			Stage and v include harne	alue, ding	Carry and harne and v	ess,	sure c	eel plea- arriages arness alue	
Patent le or lepine silver wat		Other watches	Meta clock		Other <u>clocks</u>		ianos, <u>nd value</u>	Harps and <u>value</u>	Plate over the value of \$50
Attornies paying sp cific tax, am't of ta	ar pe- pa and cit	nysicians nd surgeons aying spe- fic tax, and nount of tax	pay cifi	ntists ying s c tax, lount	pe-	mor acq inte	neys Ioan	ed out, o ourchase its, or di	•
	over \$40	vearly 00 received es of office	of y	•	am't rent or <u>er \$100</u>	of	erries- am yearly re alue over	nt or (Fotal amount of tax Dollars Cents

The 1850 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name Of Owner		Residenc	<u>e</u>		ether held nple, life &c	No. of Acres
Helena Wright		Resident		fe	ee	100
Description of the land, as to water-courses mountains and contiguous tra	a s fi	Distance and bearing rom the courthouse 10 NW	per a inclu build	ding	Sum added to the land or account of bu	
Total value of the land and buildings	Am't of the who at the le	le tract,	during	nation of al the precedially from v		<u>ed</u>
700.00		70				

The 1850 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright in the William W. Wright household on August 5, 1850:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	Value of <u>Real Estate</u>
William W. Wrig William P. Wrigl Richard T. Wrig	ht	28 50 28	M M M		Farmer Laborer Laborer	\$800
Place of Birth	Married Within <u>Year</u>	S	ttende school Vithin Y	-	Cannot Read & <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb Blind Insane etc.
Virginia Virginia Virginia						

This record indicates that William P. Wright was born in about 1800 and suggests strongly that William W. and Richard T. Wright were his sons. It is unclear why Helena Wright was not listed in the household.

The 1851 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed one William P. Wright with the following household on February 26:

Dates of receiving lists	Persons (able With	_	White males above 16 years of age	Male free negroes above 16 years of age	Slaves above 16 <u>years of age</u>
Feby 26	William P	Wright	1		
Slaves above two years of a		s sure ca	rriages, jersey	nd two wheel ridin wagons or carrya arness belonging	lls and
Gold watches	Patent lev or lepine silver wate	Other		Value of ther pianoes ocks and harps	Plate over the value of \$50
Paying confive	torneys Vho practisourt of appo hargeable ven dollars	eals, Physic with surged	mo ians no ons and mo	n't interest or profoneys loaned out, tes or other securoney acq'd by pure state or corporate	or on bonds, rities for chase, includ-
money ov received a	y income in er \$400, as salaries of office &	ferries - a &c, yearly of	amount Value rent or unlice	e of the age ensed and un	ee negroes of e of 81 years der 55 years, to tax of \$1
Total amo of tax Dollars Ce	<u>cc</u>	m't of tax for ounty purpose ollars Cent	es as to ap	ks, Especially opraisement erty by freeholders	<u>s</u>

Although both 1881 William P. Wright and William P. Wright, the son of Daniel P. Wright, were listed in the 1850 Census for Appomattox County, this listing was probably for 1881 William P. Wright, based on its similarity to the 1850 listing.

The 1851 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

	Residence			No. of Acres
	Resident	lit	fe	100
S	Distance and bearing from the courthouse	Value of land per acre, including buildings	to the land on account	
the w	rhole tract, de legal rate	during the prece	ding year,	<u>erred</u>
	the w	Resident ter- Distance and s bearing from acts the courthouse 10 NW Am't of tax on the whole tract,	Residence in Fee sim Resident Value of ter- Distance and land per s bearing from acre, includ- acts the courthouse ing buildings 10 NW 6.00 Am't of tax on Explanation of a the whole tract, during the prece at the legal rate especially from v	Resident life Value of Sum added ter- Distance and land per to the land s bearing from acre, includ- on account acts the courthouse ing buildings of buildings 10 NW 6.00 100.00 Am't of tax on Explanation of alterations the whole tract, during the preceding year, at the legal rate especially from whom transfer

This record reflects a change in the listing of the land from a fee interest to a life estate.

The 1852 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed two William P. Wrights, one William P. Wright, Jr., and the second William P. Wright, Sr., with the following household on May 20:

Dates of receiving lists		ns Char Vith Tax	•		Free ma above 1 years o	16	Slaves above of years of		White of 21 y	•
May 20	Williar	n P Wri	ght Snr.		1				•	1
Male free negroes be the ages of and 55 year	f 21	attaine	s who haved the ag years, ands	е	<u>& Jenne</u>		, Cattle, <u>& Hog</u> <u>No.</u>		p Plea <u>Carr</u>	iages sure iages Value
			Carria	ges	[Continu	ed]				
Stage Coa	ches :	Jersey V	<u>Vagons</u>	<u>Ca</u>	arryalls	Bugg	gies	<u>Gigs</u>		
No. V	alue	No.	Value	No	o. Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	

Watches CI						Clock	(S				
<u>Gold</u> No. Va	alue	Meta No.	<u>llic</u> <u>Value</u>	Silver other No.		_	<u>Othe</u> <u>No.</u>	<u>r</u> Value	Pian <u>and</u> <u>No.</u>	os <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>	<u>Plate</u> <u>Value</u>
Household Other articles of Amount of sand Kitchen personal property not securities _ Furniture Value braced in this list Value therefrom a						ities _ t	o, afte	r deduct	ing		
Am't of capital (other than the value of the real estate) invested or used in a manufacturing or other unlicensed trade or business except agriculture Interest or profits over \$ arising from bonds or certificates of this or any other state or country, or of any public corporation, created by this or any other state						other orpor-					
Amount of income Excess over \$100 in money over \$100 of yearly rent or annual Amount of exemptions in ca from salary, fees, value of toll-bridges sheep and hogs, or persona allowances,&c and ferries property in lieu thereof						-					
Aggrega deductir embrace	ng exei	nptior		Amou of tax	ınt		unt of ounty oses	E	temark specia reeho	_	

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The 1852 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name Of Owner	Residence	Estate whe		No. of Acres
Helena Wright	Resident	Lif	Life	
Description of the land, as to water-courses mountains and contiguous tracts	Distance and bearing from the courthouse	Value of land per acre, including buildings	Sum added to the land on account of buildings	
On Wreck Island	10 NW	6.00	100.00	

Total value of the land and buildings	Am't of tax on the whole tract, at the legal rate	Explanation of alterations during the preceding year, especially from whom transferred
and buildings	at the legal rate	especially from whom transferred

532.00 1.08

The 1853 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed two William P. Wrights, one William P. Wright, Jr., and the second William P. Wright, Sr., with the following household on May 26:

ne following	nousehold on May 26	D:		
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male above the <u>16 years</u>	age of at	aves who have tained the age
May 26	William P Wright Sr	1		
have attair years, exc	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted on on account of mity	Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		•
	1			
Cattle,	Pleasure carriages	•		Diamas

Cattle, Pleasure carriages, stage sheep coaches, jersey wagons, Pianos and hogs carryalls, gigs and buggies Watches Clocks and Harps No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value

All gold and silver All household and plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds, securities and liquidated claims

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

Aggregate <u>of values</u>	Amount o fees of eff		nount of ome		nterest or profit from s or certificates of debt
				·	
Amount of d		Yearly re			

declared by insurance or value of companies and savings institutions and ferries

tollbridges

all person and subjects

for county purposes

Remarks

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The 1853 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helana Wright with the following property:

Name Of Owner		Residenc	<u>:e</u>	Estate whether lin Fee simple, lit		No. of Acres	
Helana Wright		Resident		Life		100	
Description of the land, as to water-courses mountain and contiguous tra	ıs	Distance and bearing from the courthouse	а	alue of land per cre, including uildings	land of bu	added to th on account <u>ildings</u> 100.00	
Total value of the land and buildings	the v at th	of tax on whole tract, e legal rate	durir	anation of alterating the preceding yecially from whom	year,	<u>erred</u>	
000.00		1.20					

The 1854 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed two William P. Wrights, one William P. Wright, Jr., and the second William P. Wright, Sr., with the following household on February 28:

Date of receiving Persons Charge-lists able With Tax	Free mal above th <u>16 years</u>	•	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years				
Feby 28 William P. Wright Sr	- 1	1					
White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity	Male free negroe between the ages of 21 and 55 years		ined mules, asses				
1							
Cattle, Pleasure carriages sheep coaches, jersey wa and hogs carryalls, gigs and No. Value No.	agons,						
plate and jewelry kitchen furn	<u>plate and jewelry</u> <u>kitchen furniture</u> all monies, solvent bonds,						
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner							
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies							
All other articles of personal pronot embraced in this list, nor exemple the 3d and other sections of the imposing taxes	empted		fees Amount of				

Amount of interest or
profit from public bonds
or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

.40

The 1854 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helania Wright with the following property:

Name O	of Owner		Resid	ence		whether held simple, life &c	No. of Acres
Helania	Wright		Resid	ent		Life	100
Name of tract	land as course and co	otion of the s to water- s mountains ntiguous trad eck Island		Distance and bea from the courthou	ring <u>ıse</u>	Value of land per acre, including buildings	Sum added to the land on account of buildings
Total va of the la and build	nd <u>dings</u>	Amount of the whole tat the legal	ract, rate	Amoun for cou purpos	•		uring the ear, especially

The 1855 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed two William P. Wrights, one William P. Wright, Jr., and the second William P. Wright, Sr., with the following household on February 15:

Date of		Free male persons	Slaves who have
receiving	Persons Charge-	above the age of	attained the age
<u>lists </u>	able With Tax	16 years	of 16 years
Febv 15	William P. Wright Sr	1	

have attaine years, excep	inhabitants who do the age of 21 of those exempted n on account of ity		e negroes the ages d 55	hav	ve attained age of 12	Horse: mules and je No.	, asses
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey w carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,	Watches	_	Clocks No. Value		os <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>
All gold and silver All household and plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds, Value No. Value securities and liquidated claims							
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner							
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings bonds or claims of internal improvement companies institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies							
not embrace	cles of personal pro ed in this list, nor ex ed other sections of ees	empted	Aggrega of values		Amount of all fees of office	Amo incor	unt of me_

by insurance companies and savings institutions

Amount of dividends declared

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of interest or

profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for

county purposes Remarks

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The 1855 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name O	f Owner	: <u>E</u>	Residence				No. of Acres
Helena Wright		F	Resident			Life	100
Name of tract	land as course and co	otion of the s to water- s mountains ntiguous tracts eck Island	<u>S</u>	Distance and bear from the courthou	ring se	Value of land per acre, including buildings	Sum added to the land on account of buildings
Total val of the la and build	nd <u>dings</u>	Amount of tax the whole trac at the legal ra	ict,	Amount for coun purpose	ty	Explanation or during the pre especially from from whom tra	ceding year, n whom

The 1856 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed one William P. Wright with the following household on March 15:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male persons above the age of 16 years	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years
March 15	William P. Wright	1	

White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity	Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		Horses mules, asses and jennets No. Value			
1						
Cattle, Pleasure carriages sheep coaches, jersey wa and hogs carryalls, gigs and No. Value No.	agons,		Pianos <u>and Harps</u> e <u>No. Value</u>			
All gold and silver All household and Aggregate amount of plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds, Value No. Value securities and liquidated claims						
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner						
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings bonds or claims of internal improvement companies institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies						
All other articles of personal pro not embraced in this list, nor exe by the 3d and other sections of imposing taxes	empted		Amount of income			

savings institutions

Amount of dividends declared

by insurance companies and

Yearly rent

or value of toll-

bridges and ferries

Amount of interest or

profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for

ts county purposes

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The 1856 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

<u>Remarks</u>

Name O	f Owner		Resid	<u>ence</u>		e whether held e simple, life &	No. of <u>Acres</u>
Helena \	Vright		Resid	ent		Life	100
Name of tract	land as courses and co	otion of the to water- s mountains ntiguous trac eck Island		Distance and bear from the courthou	ring <u>ıse</u>	Value of land per acre, including buildings	Sum added to the land on account of buildings
Total value of the land and buildings	I <u>S</u>	Amount of on the who tract, at the legal rate	le	Amoun tax for county purpos		Explanation of alterations du preceding year from whom tre	ring the ar, especially

The 1857 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed one William P. Wright with the following household on February 20:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male persons above the age of 16 years	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years
Feby 20	Wm. P Wright	1	

have attaine years, excep	inhabitants who ad the age of 21 bit those exempted a on account of bity	Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		Horses mules, asses and jennets No. Value		
	1					
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey was carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,		Pianos <u>and Harps</u> <u>e No.</u> <u>Value</u>		
All gold and silver All household and Aggregate amount of plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds, Value No. Value securities and liquidated claims						
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner						
companies of and internal	of all incorporated jo other than banks of improvement comp	circulation anies, and	Aggregate val	oroperty of moneys,		

of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Amount Aggregate of all fees Amount of of values of office income

5

The 1857 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name O	f Owner		Resid	<u>ence</u>		whether held simple, life &c	No. of <u>Acres</u>
Helena \	Vright		Resid	ent		Life	100
Name of tract	land as courses and courses	otion of the to water- s mountains ntiguous trac eck Island	<u>cts</u>	Distand be from the courth 10 N	earing ne ouse	Value of land per acre, including buildings	Sum added to the land on account of buildings
Total val of the land and <u>buildings</u> 500.00	 	Amount of to on the whole tract, at the legal rate	le	Amou tax fo count <u>purpo</u>	ty	Explanation o alterations du preceding yea	ring the ar, especially
500.00	,	3.20					

The 1858 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed one William P. Wright with the following household on February 2:

				Titha	bles	
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male above the 16 years	•	attai	 o have le age s
Feby 2	William P Wright		1			
have attain years, exce	e inhabitants who ed the age of 21 ept those exempted on on account of nity	betwee	ee negroes n the ages nd 55		ined if 12	s , asses <u>nnets</u> <u>Value</u>
	1					
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey w carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,	<u>Watches</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Val</u>		<u>(s</u> Value	os <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>

All household and All gold and silver Aggregate amount of plate and jewelry all monies, solvent bonds, kitchen furniture Value Value securities and liquidated claims Capital invested or used in any Amount of moneys, bonds or other manufacturing, or mining business evidences of debt under the control for which no license is required of any court, receiver or commissioner The capital of all incorporated joint stock Aggregate value of companies other than banks of circulation the personal property and internal improvement companies, and and the am't of moneys, of all insurance companies and savings bonds or claims of internal institutions, which declare no dividends or profits improvement companies All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted Amount by the 3d and other sections of the act Aggregate of all fees Amount of imposing taxes of values of office income Amount of interest or Amount of dividends declared Yearly rent profit from public bonds or value of tollby insurance companies and or certificates of debt bridges and ferries savings institutions Amount of tax on all Amount of tax for person and subjects Remarks county purposes .80 The 1858 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property: Estate whether held No. of Name Of Owner Residence in Fee simple, life &c Acres Helena Wright Resident Life 100

Name of tract	land as	ption of the s to water- es mountains entiguous tracts	Distance and bearing from the courthouse	Value of land per acre, includ- ing buildings	Sum added to the land on account of buildings
	On Wr	eck Island	10 NW	8.00	100.00
Total va of the land and buildings	d	Amount of tax on the whole tract, at the legal rate	Amount of tax for county purposes	Explanation of alterations dupreceding year from whom tra	ring the ar, especially
800.00)	3.20			

The 1859 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed two William P. Wrights, one William P. Wright, Jr., and the second William P. Wright, Sr., with the following household on February 5:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male above the 16 years	•	Slav attai	es who have ned the age 3 years
Feby 5	Wm P Wright Sr		1			
have attaine years, exce	inhabitants who ed the age of 21 pt those exempted on account of nity		the ages	Slaves wl have atta the age o years	ined f 12	Horses mules, asses <u>and jennets</u> <u>No. Value</u>
	1					
Cattle, sheep <u>and hogs</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u>	Watches No. Val		<u>∖s</u> Value	Pianos <u>and Harps</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u>		
All gold and plate and je	ewelry kitchen fur	niture	all monie	ite amount es, solvent es and liqui	bonds	•

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Amount
Aggregate of all fees
of values of office

s Amount of income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

No. of

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

Estate whether held

.80

The 1859 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name O	f Owner	Residence	in Fee simple, I	
Helena \	Wright	Resident	Life	100
Name of tract	Description of the land as to water-courses mountains and contiguous trace	Distand and be from th courtho	aring land pe e acre, in	to the land clud- on account
	On Wreck Island	10 N	IW 8.0	0 100.00

Total value of the land and buildings	Amount of tax on the whole tract, at the legal rate	Amount of tax for county purposes	Explanation of alterations during the preceding year, especially from whom transferred
800.00	3.20		

The 1860 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed two William P. Wrights, one William P. Wright, Jr., and the second William P. Wright, Sr., with the following household on February 6:

				Titha	bles	
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male above the 16 years	•	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years	
Feby 6	Wm P Wright Sr		1			
have attair years, exc	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted ion on account of mity		ee negroes n the ages nd 55		ined mules, asses	
	1					
All gold an <u>plate and j</u> Valu	ewelry kitchen furni		Sheep and hogs No. Value	monies, s	e amount of all solvent bonds, sec- d liquidated claims	
manufactu	rested or used in any iring, or mining busine no license is required	ess 	evidences	of debt un	onds or other der the control or commissioner	

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Aggregate of a of values of or

Amount of all fees Amount of of office income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Total amount of bonds issued by the State of Virginia held 1st February 1860. This column is only to obtain information

Estate whether held

Remarks

No of

.80

The 1860 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright with the following property:

Name C	of Owner	Residence	in Fee simpl		Acres
Heleanr	ı Wright	Resident	Life	Э	100
Name of tract	Description of the land as to water-courses mountains and contiguous trace	Distan and be from the courth	earing land ne acre		Sum added to the land on account of buildings
	On Wreck Island	10 1	١W	8.00	100.00

Total value of the land and buildings	Amount of tax on the whole tract, at the legal rate	Amount of tax for county purposes	Explanation of alterations during the preceding year, especially from whom transferred
800.00	3.20	ригроссо	nom whom danieloniou

The 1860 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, also listed Benjamin E. Wright and William W. Wright with the following property:

Name C	of Owner	Residence	Estate whether held in Fee simple, life &c	No. of <u>Acres</u>
•	in E Wright V Wright	Resident	Fee	
Name of <u>tract</u>	Description of the land as to watercourses mountains and contiguous tracts	Distance and bearing from the courthou	land per acre, including	Sum added to the land on account of buildings

all the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land owned by Helenner Wright All the interest of Richard T Wright in the same tract

Total value	Amount of tax	Amount of	Explanation of
of the	on the whole	tax for	alterations during the
land and	tract, at the	county	preceding year, especially
<u>buildings</u>	legal rate	purposes	from whom transferred

This record indicates that Benjamin E. Wright, William W. Wright, David M. Wright, and Richard T. Wright were all related to Helena Wright. In conjunction with the 1850 Census set forth above, the 1860 Census set forth below, and the death certificate of Benjamin E. Wright set forth below, this record identifies these four persons as sons of William P. Wright and Helena (_____) Wright.

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William P. Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	<u>Occupation</u>	Value of <u>Estate</u>
Benjamine E. Wright Mary F. Wright Luther W. Wright John W. Wright Charles H. Wright Benjamine W. Wright		34 29 8 6 5	M F M M		Farmer Wife	\$600
Mary Smith Wm. P. Wright		18 58	F M		Housekeeper Retired farmer	
<u>Student</u>	Number of Slaves	Place of Birth				
1		Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia				

This record indicates that William P. Wright was born in about 1802 and suggests strongly that Benjamin E. Wright was his son.

The 1861 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed one William P. Wright, Sr., with the following household on February 25:

		White males, male free negroes and		
		slaves, ascertained for state taxes		
		Number of white Number of mal		
		male inhabitants	free negroes	
		who have attained	above the age of	
	Names of Persons	the age of 21 years,	21 years, taxed	
	Charged With Taxes	taxed at 80 cents	at 80 cents	
Feb 25th	William P Wright Sr	1		

White males, male free negroes and slaves, ascertained for state taxes for state taxes [cont'd]

Property and capital taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollars value

free negroes above the age of 21 years taxed at \$1

Number of male Number of slaves of both sexes who have attained the age of 12 years, taxed at \$1.20

Horses, mules, asses and iennets, with their number and value No. Value

Pleasure carriages. coaches, jersey wagons, carryalls, gigs and buggies with the number and value No. Value

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Cattle

No. Value

Sheep No. Value

Hogs No. Value

Watches No. Value

Clocks No. Value

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Value of all gold and silver plate Pianos

Aggregate value of all household and Value No. Value and jewelry

Aggregate amount of all moneys, contracts for money or other thing, solvent bonds, securities, liquidated and Harps plated ware kitchen furniture claims and credits whether in or out of the state

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Amount of moneys, bonds, contracts, or other evidences of debt, under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or invested, or employed in any trade or business, for which no license is required

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal companies, which pay taxes on passengers and freight), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends of profits

Aggregate value of the personal property moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, not exempted from taxation within the year

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected

Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value

15

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income where the taxes are scaled according to amount received

Fees received. and salaries or income, not more than \$250, taxed at half of one per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income which are more than \$250, and not more than \$500, taxed at one per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income, which are more than \$500 and not more than \$100 taxed at 1½ per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income over \$1000, taxed at 2 per centum

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges

Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of this or any other state, or whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia) and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend taxed and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent or annual value of toll Total bridges amount or ferries, of state taxed at taxes on 6 per centum all subjects

.80

The 1861 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William Wright's Estate with the following property:

Name of the Person by himself or by his tenant has the freehold in possessionof the land charged

Residence of the owner of the tract of land

Nature of the owner's estate whether held in fee or for life

No. of acres in said tract

William Wrights Est

Resident

life

100

	Name of the tract and description of the land, as to watercourses, mountains or other places		a fr co B	om tl ourt l learin	earing	The sum Total value of the land per acre includ- ing buildings	included in the value of each tract of land on account of buildings	
	On Wreck Island	d Ck		NW	10	8.00	100.00	
	Total value The amount of tax of the on the whole tract, land and and at forty cents on buildings every \$100 value			, and when and how the owner derived the land, and why, and upon what				
	800.00	3.20						
listing who h Willia	However, the prior year listing for this land in Helena Wright's name and the next year listing in the name of Helena Wright's estate suggest that it was not William P. Wright who had died, but Helena () Wright and that the 1861 listing erroneously listed William Wright's estate. The 1862 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed one							
wiiia	m P. Wright With	the following house			free near	roes ascertain	ed state taxes	
	Names of Perso Charged With Ta	Number on inhabitant	f w	hite i vho h	male lave	Numbe negroe	er of male free es above the 21 years	
	Wm P. Wright			1				
	Number and value of slaves of all ages and both sexes	Property and cap Horses, mules asses and jennets with their number and value		Plea coa carr	asure car ches, jers yalls, gig		e <u>Cattle</u>	
	No. Value	No. Value		No.		<u>Value</u>	No. Value	

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Sheep Hogs Watches Clocks Pianos and Harps No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value Value No.

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

value of Value of all gold all houseand silver hold and plate plated kitchen ware jewelry furniture

Aggregate Aggregate amount of all moneys, contracts for money or other thing, solvent bonds, securities, liquidated claims, and credits, whether in or out of the state

Amount of moneys, bonds, contracts. or other evidences of debt, under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or inno license is required

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal vested, or employed in any companies, which pay taxes on passengers and trade or business, for which frieght), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions which declare no dividends of profits

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies. except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges [Cont'd]

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia), and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum Yearly rent or annual value of toll bridges or ferries, taxed of state taxes at 6 per centum on all subjects

Total amount

1.20

For county levy						
Amount levied on slaves, land						
Number	Male free	Slaves	and other property assessed			
of white	negroes	of both	with state taxes being _ per	Total levy		
males above	above	sexes over	cent on such taxes, levied	on persons		
the age of	the age of	16 years	according to the 53d chap-	and		
of 16 years	<u>16 years</u>	of age	ter of the Code of Virginia	property		

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Name of the Person by

The 1862 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Helena Wright's Estate with the following property:

Residence

himself or by his tenant has the freehold in pos- session of the land charged	of the owner of the tract of land		estate	of the owner's whether fee or for life	No. of acres in said tract
Helena Wrights Estate	Resident		Life		100
Name of the tract and description of the land, as to watercourses, mountains or oplaces on or near which it lies	other	Distan and be from th court h Bearin C.H.	earing ne	Total value of the land per acre including buildings	The sum included in the value of each tract of land on account of buildings
On Wreck Island Cr		NW	10	8.00	100.00

of the on the volume on the volume on the volume of the vo		nount of tax whole tract, cents on 00 value	transferred, and w derived the land,	erations during or, especially from whom when and how the owner and why, and upon or alteration was made
800.00	2	1.80		
This record indicates	that either	Helena Wrig	ght was the one who	died in 1860 or that
William P. Wright die	d in 1860 a	and Helena V	Vright died in 1861	or 1862.
The 1863 Per	sonal Prope	erty Tax List	for Appomattox Cou	unty, Virginia, listed one
William P. Wright wi	th the follow	wing househ	old:	
Names of Per <u>Charged With</u>		Number of vinhabitants v	vhite male	ascertained state taxes Number of male free negroes above the age of 21 years
Wm P. Wright			1	
Number and value of slave of all ages and both sexes	Horses s asses a d with the and val	, mules and jennets eir number	al taxed at a uniform Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey w carryalls, gigs and with their number No.	s, agons, buggies
<u>Sheep</u> <u>No.</u> Value	Hogs No. Valu	Watch e No. Va	alue <u>No. Value</u>	Pianos and Harps No. Value
Value of all gold and silver	Aggregate value of all house- hold and	Aggregate moneys, c money or vent bonds	ad at a uniform rate amount of all ontracts for other thing, solutions, securities, liquities, and credits	Amount of moneys, bonds, contracts, or other evidences of debt, under the control of any court, receiver

dated claims, and credits,

whether in or out of the state

of any court, receiver

or commissioner

<u>furniture</u>

kitchen

plate plated

ware jewelry

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or inno license is required

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal vested, or employed in any companies, which pay taxes on passengers and trade or business, for which frieght), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions which declare no dividends of profits

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies. except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Total value of all property general head

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income taxed under this - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges [Cont'd]

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia), and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum Yearly rent or annual value of toll bridges or ferries, taxed of state taxes

Total amount at 6 per centum on all subjects

2.00

	For county levy										
	Number	Number Male free Slaves					Amount levied on slaves, land and other property assessed				
	of white	negroes	of both sexes over				•	xes being _ per			
	males above							n taxes, levied	on persons		
	the age of	the age of	•	ears			_	the 53d chap-	and		
	of 16 years	16 years	of a	ge	_ 4	<u>ter o</u>	i the CC	ode of Virginia	property		
	1										
	The 1863 Lar	nd Tax List f	or Ap	poma	attox	к Со	unty, Vi	rginia, listed Hel	ena Wright's		
Estate	e with the follov	wing propert	y:								
	Name of the l	•		Resi	den	ce	Natu	re of the			
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,			of the		.	owne	· -	No. of		
	has the freeh	•	ad	owne tract				e whether in fee or for life	acres in <u>said tract</u>		
	<u> </u>	s latiu chary	<u>eu</u>	uacı	OI I	<u>anu</u>	Heiu	in lee or for file	Said tract		
	Helena Wrights Est Resi			Resi	ident			Life	100		
					Dis	stano	re	Total	The sum in-		
					and bearing			value of	cluded in the		
	Name of the t	tract and				m th		the land	value of each		
	description of				-	court house		per acre	tract of land		
	watercourses places on or i			ner	Bearing from C.H. Mile		g trom Miles	including <u>buildings</u>	on account of buildings		
	places on or i	ical Willeli	11103		<u>U.1</u>	<u> </u>	<u>ivilies</u>	bullulings	<u>or ballalligs</u>		
	On Wreck Isla	and Cr			Ν	IW	10	8.00	100.00		
		The am	ount	of		Evnl	lanation	of alterations de	uring the pro		
	Total value	tax on t		Oi	Explanation of alterations during the preceding year, especially from whom trans-						
	of the	whole to			ferred, and when and how the owner derived the land, and why, and upon						
	land and	at forty									
	<u>buildings</u>	every \$	<u>100 ν</u>	<u>/alue</u>		<u>wha</u>	t author	<u>ity any alteratior</u>	<u>n was made</u>		
	800.00	8	3.00								
	The death red	cord of Beni	amin	E. W	riah	t daf	ted Aua	ust 3, 1880, at <i>A</i>	mherst		
Cour	County, Virginia, listed his parents as William P. Wright and Helena () Wright:										
Court		•	no as				Ū	,	j vviigiit.		
	"Place of Dea	atn:		Αı	mhe	erst (County,	Virginia			

Line Number:

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Name of Deceased:

Benjamin E. Wright

Race: White Sex: Male Age: 53

Date of Death: August 3, 1880
Place: Amherst County

Cause of Death: Paralysis

Name of Parents: Wm. P. and Helena Wright

Birthplace of Deceased: Amherst Occupation: Farmer

Consort of: Mary F. Wright Name of Informant: Mary F. Wright

Relation of Informant: Wife

Commissioner of the Revenue: E. S. Ware Date Record Filed: June 1881"

The death record of ____ Wright was dated on November 10, 1881, at

Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Place of Death: Appomattox County, Virginia

Line Number: 79

Name of Deceased: (Illegible) Wright

Race: Not Stated

Sex: Male Age: 81

Date of Death: November 10, 1881

Place: Appomattox Cause of Death: Old Age

Name of Parents: Chas. & Rachel Wright

Birthplace of Deceased:
Occupation:
Consort of:
Not Stated
Farmer
Not Stated
Wm. W. Wright

Relation of Informant: Son

Commissioner of the Revenue: Geo. W. Abbitt

Date Record Filed: Between 1881 & 1896"

The listing of the informant as William W. Wright identifies this decedent as his father William P. Wright. The listing of William P. Wright's parents as Charles and Rachel Wright identifies 1881 William P. Wright as a son of Charles Wright and Rachel (Doss) Wright and a grandson of Robert Wright, Sr. (Campbell County). The identification is further indicated by the witnessing by William P. Wright of the marriage consent of Elizabeth Wright, daughter of Charles Wright, on October 9, 1821.

On June 7, 1910, at Appomattox County, Virginia, D.B. 12/386 a survey and division of the land of Helen Wright's Estate was recorded:

"Helena Wright's Est. to Land Plot

[Plat]

Surveyed and divided for John. J. Carson, Wm. Drinkard and J. D. Legrand, Commissioners, Appointed at September Term, 1883, of Circuit Court, Appomattox Co. Va., in suit of Robert Stewart & others, vs. Nancy P. Stweart & others. One hundred and seven acres. One Rood and thirty three poles of land. Lying in the County of Appomattox, Va. on both sides of Little Wreck Island Creek, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit, - Beginning at a stake and pointer, corner to Hubbard Bass in jno. J. Carson' line at (1) thence with the said Bass, S. 25° W. crossing a branch 143 pls. to a stake at (2) thence S. 18° 30' E. crossing branch 63.80/100 Pls. to a stake near a branch at (3), thence with Dr. Horsley, S. 71° E. crossing Little Wreck Island Creek 84 Poles, to stake on Bluff at (4) thence S. 77° E. 7-Poles, to a stake at (5); thence N. 58° E. 34 Pls. to a stake in road (6) thence N. 22° 30' W. 20.50/100 Pls. to a stake thence N. 33° W. 21 Pls. to a stake, thence N. 11° W. 28 Pls. to stake thence N. 9° E. 20 Pls. to a white Oak stump at (7) thence N. 1° E. 35.40/100 Pls. to a Pine stump at (8) thence N. 35° W. crossing Little Wreck Island Creek & a road 25.70/100 Pls. to a stake on north side of road at (9) thence N. 20° E. 8 Pls. to a stake at (10) thence N. 4° W. 25 Pls. to a stake at (11) thence N. 29° W. 16 Pls. to a stake N. 30° E 6 Pls. to a stake thence N. 10° W. 10 Pls. to a stake, thence N. 63° W. 20. Pls. to station (1) the beginning.

> W. S. Peet, D. Sur. C.C. A Copy - Teste: J R Horseley Clerk."

In his email dated October 26, 2004, James Wayne Wright stated that William P.
Wright was a son of Charles Wright and Rachel (Doss) Wright, was born in about 1800,
married Helena, and died on Novembert 10, 1881, and that William P. Wright
and Helena () had the following child:
1) Benjamin Edward Wright, born in 1825.
From the evidence set forth above and additional evidence set forth below the

From the evidence set forth above and additional evidence set forth below, the children of 1881 William P. Wright of Appomattox County and Helena (____) Wright were the following:

- 1) William Washington Wright, born in August 1821 or 1822 at Virginia,
- 2) Richard T. Wright, born in about 1822 or 1823 or 1824 at Virginia,

- 3) Benjamin Edward Wright, born in about 1825 or 1830 and before February 9, 1832, at Amherst County, Virginia, and
- 4) David M. Wright, born in about 1831 and before February 26, 1835, at Virginia.
 - a. <u>William Washington Wright, His Wife Elizabeth Susan</u>
 (Alvis) Wright, And His Descendants

William Washington Wright was a son of 1881 William P.

Wright of Appomattox County and Helena (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³)

The 1848 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on February 9:

	Persons Chargable With Tax	•	above 16	Slaves above 16 <u>years of age</u>	Slaves above 12 years of age
Feb 9	William W Wright		1	1	1
Horses Mules <u>&c</u>	4 wheel pleasure carriages and harness and value	Stages, and value, including harness	Carryalls and harness, and value	2 Wheel pleasure carriages and harness and value	Gold <u>watches</u>

2

Patent lever or Other Metallic Other Pianos, Plate over the lepine silver watches watches clocks and value value of \$50

	Physicians		Am't of int. or profits on moneys
Attornies	and surgeons	Dentists	loaned out, or on bonds
paying spe-	paying spe-	paying spe-	acquired by purchase, including
cific tax, and	cific tax, and	cific tax, and	interest, profits, or dividends,
am't of tax	amount of tax	amount of tax	on state or corporat'n bonds

Am't of monied	Bridges-			Total amount
yearly income over	am't of yearly	am't of yearly	printing	of tax
\$400 received as sal-	rent or value	rent or value	presses, and	Dollars
aries or fees of office	over \$100	over \$100	amount of tax	<u>Cents</u>

.52

The 1849 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on February 24:

	Persons able With	•		White males above 16 years of age	Slaves above 16 years of age	Slaves above 12 years of age
Feby 24	William	W Wright		1	1	1
Horses Mules <u>&c</u> 1	4 wheel ple sure carria and harnes and value	ges and	value, iding	Carryalls and harness, <u>and value</u>	2 Wheel pleasure carriages and harness and value	
Patent lever or Other Metallic Other Pianos, Plate over the lepine silver watches watches clocks clocks and value value of \$50						
Attornies and surgeons paying specific tax, and am't of tax Physicians Am't of int. or profits on moneys loaned out, or on bonds acquired by purchase, including interest, profits, or dividends, on state or corporat'n bonds						
Am't of monied Bridges- Ferries- Newspaper Total amounyearly income over am't of yearly am't of yearly printing of tax \$400 received as sal- rent or value rent or value presses, and aries or fees of office over \$100 over \$100 amount of tax						Dollars

.42

The 1850 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household:

	Persons Charge- able With Tax	White males above 16 years of age	above	Slaves above 16 years of age	Slaves above 12 years <u>of age</u>
	William W Wright	1			
Horses Mules &c	sure carriages and harness i	Stages, Carry and value, and including harne <u>harness</u> and v	sure o	eel plea- carriages arness alue	Gold <u>watches</u>
Patent le or lepine silver wa	Other	Metallic Other clocks clocks	Pianos, and value	Harps and <u>value</u>	Plate over the value of \$50
Physicians Attornies and surgeons paying specific tax, and am't of tax Amount of interest or profits on moneys loaned out, or on bonds acquired by purchase, including interest, profits, or dividends, on state or corporation bonds					on bonds including dends,
income o	nonied yearly over \$400 received es or fees of office	Bridges- am't of yearly rent or valuel over \$100	Ferries- an of yearly re value over	ent or of	otal amount tax ollars Cents

The 1850 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on August 5, 1850:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	<u>Occupation</u>	Value of <u>Real Estate</u>
William W. Wright	28	М		Farmer	\$800
William P. Wright	50	М		Laborer	
Richard T. Wright	28	М		Laborer	

.20

	Place of Birth	Married Within <u>Year</u>	Attended School <u>Within Year</u>	Cannot Read & <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb I Insane	
	Virginia Virginia Virginia					
This r	ecord indicates t	hat William W.	Wright was born	n in about 182	22.	
	The 1851 Perso	onal Property T	ax List for Appoi	mattox Count	y, Virgini	ia, listed
Willia	m W. Wright with	the following	nousehold on Fe	bruary 26:		
	•	ons Charge- With Tax	White male above 16 <u>years of a</u> g	negroes a	bove	Slaves above 16 years of age
	Feby 26 Willia	am W Wright	1			
	Slaves above twelve years of age	Mules sur	ue of four-wheel e carriages, jers ge coaches, with	ey wagons or	carryalls	s and
		2				
	Gold or le	•	her Metallic atches clocks	Other piar	ue of noes <u>harps</u>	Plate over the value of \$50
	Paying court of	ractise in f appeals, Ph able with su	nysicians rgeons and	Am't interest moneys loand notes or othe money acq'd ing state or c	ed out, o r securit by purch	ies for nase, includ-

Male free negroes of

the age of 81 years

and under 55 years,

subject to tax of \$1

Bridges and

ferries - amount

value over \$100

Value of

unlicensed

billiard tables

Am't yearly income in

or as fees of office &c

received as salaries &c, yearly of rent or

money over \$400,

Total amount Am't of tax for Remarks, Especially of tax county purposes as to appraisement Obliars Cents Of property by freeholders

.24

The 1852 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on May 20:

m W. Wright with the following household on May 20:							
Dates of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	-	Free males above 16 years of age	Slaves above 16 years of ag	White males of 21 years of age		
May 20	William W. Wrigl	nt	1	1	1		
the ages o	Male free Slaves who have negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years Slaves who have attained the age of 12 years, and upwards Slaves who have attained the age of 12 years, and upwards Horses Slaves who have attained the age Mules, Asses, Cattle, Sheep Pleasure Slaves who have attained the age of 12 years, and upwards No. Value No. Value No. Value						
	1						
Carriages [Continued] Stage Coaches Jersey Wagons Carryalls Buggies Gigs No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value							
W	/atches	**************************************	Clocks	······································			
Gold No. Valu	<u>Metallic</u> e <u>No. Value</u>	Silver or other Mo.			nos <u>Harps</u> <u>Plate</u> <u>Value</u> <u>Value</u>		
Household and Kitche Furniture \	n personal p	property r	ot secur	nt of solvent ities to, afte from amount l	_		
Am't of capital (other than the value of the real estate) invested or used in a manufacturing or other unlicensed Interest or profits over \$ arising from bonds or certificates of this or any other state or country, or of any public corpor-							

945.

ation, created by this or any other state

trade or business except agriculture

	Amount of in money of from salary allowances	over \$100 y, fees,	Excess of of yearly value of and ferries	rent or a	nnual A es s	moun heep a	and ho	ogs, c	or pers	n cattle, conal
	deducting	of values a exemptions in the last o	s A	mount	Amount of for county purposes	У		arks ecially ho		
				.90						
Willia	The 1853 I m W. Wrigh	Personal P			• •		unty, \	Virgin	nia, list	ed
	Date of receiving lists	Persons (_		Free mal above the 16 years	e age	of	atta		no have ne age rs
	May 26	William W	/ Wright		1					
	White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity				ee negroes n the ages nd 55	s have	e attai age of	ned f 12		es s, asses ennets Value 35
		•							-	00
	Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	coaches <u>carryalls</u>	e carriages s, jersey w s, gigs and	agons,			Clock No. \			nos <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>

<u>kitchen furniture</u> all monies, solvent bonds, <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u> <u>securities and liquidated claims</u>

Aggregate amount of

All household and

All gold and silver

plate and jewelry

Value

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

2

75

Aggregate Amount of all Amount of Amount of interest or profit from fees of effects income public bonds or certificates of debt

78.00

Amount of dividends Yearly rent **Amount** Amount declared by insurance or value of of tax on of tax companies and tollbridges all person for county savings institutions and ferries and subjects purposes Remarks

.56

The 1854 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on February 28:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male above the <u>16 years</u>	age of atta	ives who have ained the age 16 years
Feby 28	William W Wright	1		
have attair years, exc	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted on on account of mity	Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		Horses mules, asses and jennets No. Value

947.

1

Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey wa carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,	Watches No. Value	Clocks No. Value	Pianos and Harps No. Value	
All gold and silver All household and Aggregate amount of plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds, Securities and liquidated claims						
manufacturii	sted or used in any ng, or mining busine license is required	ess e	mount of mor vidences of de f any court, re	ebt under the	control	

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property
not embraced in this list, nor exempted
by the 3d and other sections of the act
imposing taxes

Amount
Aggregate of all fees Amount of of values of office income

1.33

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

.67

The 1855 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on February 15:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male above the 16 years	•	Slaves w attained to of 16 year	he age
Feby 15	William W. Wright		1			
have attair years, exc	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted ion on account of mity		the ages	Slaves wh have attai the age of years	ned mule	es s, asses <u>ennets</u> <u>Value</u>
	1			1	2	25
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriage coaches, jersey w carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,	Watches No. Val		s and	nos <u>I Harps</u> <u>Value</u>
All gold an plate and j Valu	iewelry kitchen furr		all monie	te amount es, solvent s and liquic	bonds,	<u>ıs</u>
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner						
companies and internations of all insur	al of all incorporated jo s other than banks of al improvement comp rance companies and s, which declare no di	circulation panies, and savings	t	and the a	e value of nal proper m't of mon claims of in tent compa	eys, nternal

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted Amount by the 3d and other sections of the act of all fees Amount of Aggregate imposing taxes of values of office income Amount of interest or Amount of dividends declared Yearly rent profit from public bonds by insurance companies and or value of tollor certificates of debt savings institutions bridges and ferries Amount of tax on all Amount of tax for person and subjects county purposes Remarks 1.30 The birth record of Robert P. Wright, son of William W. and Elizabeth S. Wright, was dated on May 22, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia: "Name of Child: Robert P Wright Date of Birth: May 22, 1855 Color: Sex: Born: Alive Place of Birth: Appomattox Father's Name: William W Wright Father's Occupation: Farmer Father's Residence: Appomattox Mother's Name: Elizabeth S Wright No. at Birth: W W Wright Informant: Relation of Informant: Father As will be set forth below, this child's name was Robert Braxton Wright. This record indicates that William Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan (_____) Wright married before 1855. The 1856 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on March 15: Date of Free male persons Slaves who have above the age of receiving Persons Chargeattained the age able With Tax lists 16 years of 16 years

1

March 15 William W. Wright

have attaine years, excep	inhabitants who d the age of 21 of those exempted n on account of ity		the ages	Slaves who have attained the age of 12 years	Horses mules, asses and jennets No. Value	_
	1			1	1 100)
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey working and carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,	<u>Watches</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Val</u>		Pianos <u>and Harps</u> <u>e No. Value</u>	
All gold and silver All household and plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds, securities and liquidated claims						
manufacturi	Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner					
companies of and internal of all insurar	of all incorporated jo other than banks of improvement comp nce companies and which declare no div	circulation anies, and savings		Aggregate va the personal pand the am't of bonds or clair improvement	property of moneys, ms of internal	
not embrace	cles of personal pro ed in this list, nor exe ad other sections of kes	empted	Aggrega of values		Amount of income	

Amount of interest or
profit from public bonds
or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

2.60

The 1857 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on February 20:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male above the 16 years	•	atta	ves wh ained th 16 year	_
Feby 20	Wm. W. Wright		1			1	
have attain years, exce	e inhabitants who led the age of 21 lept those exempted on on account of mity		ee negroes n the ages nd 55		ined		s , asses <u>ennets</u> <u>Value</u>
	1			1		2	125
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriage coaches, jersey w carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,		_			ios <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>
All gold and plate and je Valu	ewelry kitchen furr		all moni	ate amount es, solvent es and liqui	bond	•	<u>S</u>
manufactu	ested or used in any ring, or mining busing o license is required	ess —	Amount of evidences of any cou	of debt und	der th	ne cont	rol

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Aggregate of values

Amount of all fees of office

T:46 -61--

Amount of income

190

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

2.76

The 1858 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on February 2:

			<u>l ithable</u>	es	
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male above the <u>16 years</u>	age of	Slaves whattained that of 16 year	ne age
Feby 2	Wm. W Wright	1			
have attair years, exc	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted on on account of mity	Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		ed mules	s , asses <u>ennets</u> <u>Value</u>
	1			3	115

Cattle, sheep <u>and hogs</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u>	coaches, je	nriages, stage rsey wagons, gs and buggies <u>Value</u>	Watches No. Value	<u>Clocks</u> <u>No. Value</u>	Pianos <u>and Harps</u> <u>No. Value</u>
11 18					
All gold and plate and je Value	welry kitch	ousehold and en furniture Value	•	amount of solvent bond nd liquidated	•
manufacturi	sted or used ing, or mining license is red	business e	Amount of mo evidences of d of any court, re	lebt under the	e control
companies of and internal of all insurar	The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies				
All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes Amount Aggregate of all fees Amount of of values of office income					_
			198		
Amount of interest or Amount of dividends declared yearly rent profit from public bonds by insurance companies and or value of tollor certificates of debt savings institutions bridges and ferries				e of toll-	
Amount of tax on all Amount of tax for					

1.59

The 1859 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on February 5:

person and subjects county purposes Remarks

			Tithal	oles
Date of	Daragna Charga		e persons	Slaves who have
receiving <u>lists</u>	Persons Charge- able With Tax	16 years	e age of	attained the age of 16 years
Feby 5	Wm W Wright	1		
have attair years, exc	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted on on account of mity	Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		ned mules, asses
	1			2 60
Cattle, Pleasure carriages, stage sheep coaches, jersey wagons, and hogs carryalls, gigs and buggies No. Value				
All gold an plate and j Valu	ewelry kitchen furr	<u>niture</u> all mon	ate amount ies, solvent es and liqui	
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner				
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings bonds or claims of internal institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies				

All other articles of personal property
not embraced in this list, nor exempted
by the 3d and other sections of the act
imposing taxes

Amount
Aggregate of all fee
of values of office

of all fees Amount of of office income

142

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for

county purposes Remarks

1.36

The 1860 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on February 6:

				Titha	bles		
Date of			Free male	•			o have
	Persons Charge-		above the	age of		ined th	_
<u>lists</u>	able With Tax		16 years	·	<u>ot 1</u>	6 year	<u>s</u>
Feby 6	Wm W. Wright		1				
have attaine years, exce	inhabitants who ed the age of 21 pt those exempted on on account of hity		ee negroes n the ages nd 55		ined	Horse mules and je No.	, asses
	1					2	90
Cattle, sheep <u>and hogs</u> <u>No.</u> Value	Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey wa carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,			<u>s</u> Value		os <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>

1 12

All gold and silved plate and jewel Value	ver All househo ry <u>kitchen furn</u> Value	<u>iture</u> and	<u>d hogs</u> ι	Aggregate amo monies, solvent urities and liquid	bonds, sec-
manufacturing,	d or used in any or mining busin ense is required	ess evi	idences o	noneys, bonds of f debt under the force receiver or cor	e control
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings bonds or claims of internal improvement companies institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies					
not embraced i	s of personal pront of this list, nor exported the sections of	empted the act	Aggregate		Amount of income
	3		142		
Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions Yearly rent or value of toll-bridges and ferries					
Amount of tax on all person and subjects	Amount of tax for county purposes	Total amore by the State February 1 is only to contract to the state of the state o	te of Virgi 1860. Thi	nia held 1st s column	<u>Remarks</u>
1.36					

The 1860 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright and Benjamin E. Wright with the following property:

Estate whether held in Fee No. of Name Of Owner Residence Simple, life &c Acres

Benjamin E Wright Resident Fee Wm W Wright

Value of Description of Distance Sum added land per acre, the land as to waterand bearing to the land courses mountains from the including on account Name of tract and contiguous tracts courthouse buildings of buildings

all the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land owned by Helenner Wright All the interest of Richard T Wright in the same tract

Total value	Amount of tax	Amount of	Explanation of
of the	on the whole	tax for	alterations during
land and	tract, at the	county	the preceding year, espe-
<u>buildings</u>	legal rate	purposes	cially from whom transferred

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on August 30, 1860:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	Occupation	Value of <u>Estate</u>
Wm. W. Wright Elzabeth T. Wright Richard T. Wright Robert B. Wright Silia F. Wright David M. Wright		39 23 36 5 1 29	M F M M F		Farmer Wife Laborer Laborer	\$1,055
Student	Number of Slaves	Place of Birth				
		Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia				

This record indicates that William W. Wright was born in about 1821 and that Elizabeth T. () Wright was born in about 1837. The 1861 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on February 25: White males, male free negroes and slaves, ascertained for state taxes Number of white Number of male male inhabitants free negroes who have attained above the age of Names of Persons the age of 21 years, 21 years, taxed **Charged With Taxes** taxed at 80 cents at 80 cents 1 Feb 25th William W Wright White males, male free negroes Property and capital taxed at the uniform and slaves, ascertained for state rate of forty cents on every hundred taxes for state taxes [cont'd] dollars value Pleasure carriages, Number of male Number of slaves Horses, mules, coaches, jersey of both sexes who asses and wagons, carryalls, free negroes gigs and buggies with above the age have attained the jennets, with their of 21 years age of 12 years, the number and value number and value taxed at \$1 taxed at \$1.20 No. <u>Value</u> No. Value 3 75 Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd] Cattle Sheep Hoas Watches Clocks No. Value No. Value Value No. Value <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u> <u>No.</u> 2 12 6 6 Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd] Value of all Aggregate Aggregate amount of all moneys, gold and value of all contracts for money or other thing, **Pianos** solvent bonds, securities, liquidated silver plate household and claims and credits whether in or out and Harps plated ware kitchen furniture No. Value and jewelry Value of the state

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Amount of moneys, bonds, contracts, or other evidences of debt, under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or invested, or employed in any trade or business, for which no license is required

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal companies. which pay taxes on passengers and freight), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends of profits

Aggregate value of the personal property moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, not exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value

128

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income where the taxes are scaled according to amount received

Fees received. and salaries or income, not taxed at half of one per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income which are more than more than \$250, \$250, and not more than \$500, taxed at one per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income. which are more than \$500 and not more than \$100 taxed at 1½ per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income over \$1000, taxed at 2 per centum

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges

Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of this or any other state, or whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia) and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend taxed and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent or annual value of toll Total bridges amount or ferries, of state taxed at taxes on 6 per centum all subjects

1.31

For county levy

Amount levied on slaves, land and other property. Number of Male free assessed with state taxes, white males negroes Slaves of being _ per cent, on such above above both sexes taxes, levied according to Total levy the 33d chapter of the the age over 16 persons and the age of 16 years of 16 years years of age Code of Virginia property

The 1861 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright and Benjamin E. Wright with the following property:

Name of the Person by himself or by his tenant has the freehold in possession of the land charged

Residence of the owner of the

tract of land

Nature of the owner's No. of estate whether held in fee or for life

acres in said tract

Benj & William W. Wright Same

Resident

fee

	Distance	Total	The sum in-
Name of the tract and	and bearing	value of	cluded in the
description of the land,	from the	the land	value of each
as to watercourses,	court house	per acre	tract of land
mountains or other places	Bearing from	including	on account
on or near which it lies	C.H. Miles	<u>buildings</u>	of buildings

all the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land owned by Helena Wright all the interest of Richd T Wright in same tract

	The amount of	Explanation of alterations during the
Total value	tax on the	preceding year, especially from whom
of the	whole tract,	transferred, and when and how the owner
land and	at forty cents on	derived the land, and why, and upon
<u>buildings</u>	every \$100 value	what authority any alteration was made

The birth record of Mary H. Wright, daughter of William W. and Elizabeth S. Wright, was dated on April 12, 1861, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: Mary H Wright Date of Birth: April 12, 1861

Color: White Sex: Female Born: Alive

Place of Birth: Appomattox Father's Name: Wm W Wright

Father's Occupation: Farmer

Mother's Name: Elizabeth S Wright

No. at Birth:

Informant: Wm W Wright

Relation of Informant: Father

The 1862 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household:

White males and free negroes, ascertained state taxes
Number of white male
Number of male free
inhabitants who have
negroes above the
attained the age of 21 years

White males and free negroes, ascertained state taxes
number of male free
age of 21 years

Wm W. Wright 1

		<u>Properτ</u>	<u>y and capita</u>	ii taxed at a uniform rate		
Numb	er and	Horses,	mules	Pleasure carriages,		
value of slaves		asses and jennets		coaches, jersey wagons,		
of all a	ages and	with the	ir number	carryalls, gigs and buggies		
both s	sexes	<u>and valu</u>	ıe	with their number and value	C	<u>attle</u>
<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	No. <u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>
		2	100		2	25

	Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]								
S	heep	<u></u>	logs	_Wa	atches	C	locks	Pianos	and Harps
<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>
		2	12						

	Property and	capital taxed at a uniform rate	[Cont'd]
	Aggregate	Aggregate amount of all	Amount of moneys,
Value of	value of	moneys, contracts for	bonds, contracts,
all gold	all house-	money or other thing, sol-	or other evidences of
and silver	hold and	vent bonds, securities, liqui-	debt, under the control
plate plated	kitchen	dated claims, and credits,	of any court, receiver
ware jewelry	<u>furniture</u>	whether in or out of the state	or commissioner

22

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]				
tal of all incorporated joint stock companies				
r than banks of circulation and internal				
ovement companies and rail road and canal				
panies, which pay taxes on passengers and				
nt), and of all insurance companies and savings				
utions which declare no dividends of profits				

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies, except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

3

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value Fees of office received, and salaries or other income - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges
Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

175

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges [Cont'd]

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia), and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent or annual value of toll bridges or ferries, taxed at 6 per centum

Total amount of state taxes on all subjects

2.25

For county levy

		•
Number	Male free	Slaves
of white	negroes	of both
males above	above	sexes over
the age of	the age of	16 years
of 16 years	16 years	of age

Amount levied on slaves, land and other property assessed with state taxes being __ per cent on such taxes, levied according to the 53d chapter of the Code of Virginia

Total levy on persons and property

1

The 1862 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright and Benjamin E. Wright with the following property:

Name of the Person by himself or by his tenant has the freehold in possession of the land charged	Residence of the owner of the tract of land	Nature of the owner estate whether held in fee or for life	acres in
Benjamin E & William W Wright ditto	Resident	fee "	
Name of the tract and description of the land,	Distance and bearin from the	g value of	The sum in- cluded in the value of each

all the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land formerly owned by Helena Wright all the interest of Richard T Wright on the same estate

C.H. Miles

court house per acre
Bearing from including

buildings

tract of land

on account

of buildings

	The amount of	Explanation of alterations during
Total value	tax on the	the preceding year, especially from whom
of the	whole tract,	transferred, and when and how the owner
land and	at forty cents on	derived the land, and why, and upon
<u>buildings</u>	evert \$100 value	what authority any alteration was made

The 1863 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household:

	White males and free negroes,	ascertained state taxes
	Number of white male	Number of male free
Names of Persons	inhabitants who have	negroes above the
Charged With Taxes	attained the age of 21 years	age of 21 years
Wm W. Wright	1	

as to watercourses,

on or near which it lies

mountains or other places on or near which it lies

		Proper	<u>ty and capita</u>	<u>al taxed at a u</u>	niform rate		
value	per and of slaves ages and sexes		ind jennets eir number	carryalls, gi	rriages, rsey wagons, gs and buggies imber and value	C	attle
<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	No.	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>
		2	200			4	100

		<u>Prope</u>	rty and o	capital	<u>taxed at</u>	<u>a unifo</u>	<u>orm rate</u>	[Cont'd]	
S	<u>heep</u>	<u> </u>	logs	_Wa	atches_	C	locks_	Piano	os and Harps
<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>
6	35	3	20						

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]						
	Aggregate	Aggregate amount of all	Amount of moneys,			
Value of	value of	moneys, contracts for	bonds, contracts,			
all gold	all house-	money or other thing, sol-	or other evidences of			
and silver	hold and	vent bonds, securities, liqui-	debt, under the control			
plate plated	kitchen	dated claims, and credits,	of any court, receiver			
ware jewelry	<u>furniture</u>	whether in or out of the state	or commissioner			

35

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]				
Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies				
(other than banks of circulation and internal				
improvement companies and rail road and canal				
companies, which pay taxes on passengers and				
frieght), and of all insurance companies and savings				
(i				

no license is required institutions which declare no dividends of profits

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies. except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

10

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Total value of all property general head

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income taxed under this - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state

400

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll

bridges [Cont'd]

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia), and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent or annual value of toll bridges or ferries, taxed at 6 per centum on all subjects

Total amount of state taxes

6.00

For county levy

Number	Male free	Slaves	Amount levied on slaves, land and other property assessed	i
of white	negroes	of both	with state taxes being _ per	Total levy
males above	above	sexes over	cent on such taxes, levied	on persons
the age of	the age of	16 years	according to the 53d chap-	and
of 16 years	<u>16 years</u>	of age	ter of the Code of Virginia	property

The 1863 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright and Benjamin E. Wright with the following property:

Name of the Person by himself or by his	Residence of the	Nature of the	No. of
tenant has the free- hold in possession	owner of the tract	owner's estate whether held in	acres in
of the land charged	of land	fee or for life	<u>tract</u>

Benj E & Wm W Wright Resident Fee

ditto "

	Distance	lotal	The sum in-
Name of the tract and	and bearing	value of	cluded in the
description of the land,	from the	the land	value of each
as to watercourses,	court house	per acre	tract of land
mountains or other places	Bearing from	including	on account
on or near which it lies	C.H. Miles	<u>buildings</u>	of buildings

All the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land formerly owned by Helena Wright

All the int. of Richd T Wright on the same land

The amount of	Explanation of alterations during
tax on the	the preceding year, especially from whom
whole tract,	transferred, and when and how the owner
at forty cents on	derived the land, and why, and upon
every \$100 value	what authority any alteration was made
	tax on the whole tract, at forty cents on

The birth record of Bertha C. Wright, daughter of W. W. and E. S. Wright, was dated on August 23, 1866, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: Bertha C Wright

Date of Birth: August 23, 1866
Color: White

Sex: Female Born: Alive

Place of Birth: Appomattox
Father's Name: W W Wright
Father's Occupation: Farmer
Father's Residence: Appomattox
Mother's Name: E S Wright

No. at Birth:

Informant:

W W Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

The birth record of Ora B. Wright, daughter of W. W. and E. S. Wright, was dated in 1868 at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Ora B Wright

Date of Birth:

1868

Color:

White

Sex: Born: Female Alive

Place of Birth:

Appomattox

Father's Name:

W W Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence: Mother's Name:

Appomattox

E S Wright

No. at Birth:

Informant:

W W Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

The 1870 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on August 8, 1870:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	<u>Occupation</u>	Value of Real <u>Estate</u>	Value of Personal <u>Property</u>
Wm W. Wright	42	М	W	Farmer	800	300
Elizabeth Wright	34	F	W	Keeping House		
Robert B Wright	15	M	W	Laborer		
Lelice F Wright	11	F	W	House		
Mary H Wright	9	F	W			
Dora Ann Wright	7	F	W			
Martha C. Wright	4	F	W			
Sarah B. Wright	1	F	W			
Susan Giles	68	F	W	At Home		
Richard H. Wright	42	M	W	Laborer on F.		

Place of Birth	Married <u>Within Year</u>	Born Within <u>Year</u>	Attended School Within Year	Cannot <u>Read</u>	Cannot <u>Write</u>
E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va					
Deaf Dumb Insane or Id			Male Citizen Over 21 Vithout Right to Vote		
			4		

1

This record indicates that William W. Wright was born in about 1828 and that Elizabeth Susan (____) Wright was born in about 1836.

The birth record of Samuel W. Wright, son of W. W. and Elizabeth S. Wright, was dated on December 3, 1872, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Sam W Wright

Date of Birth:

December 3, 1872

Color:

White

Sex:

Male

Place of Birth:

Appomattox

Father's Name:

W W Wright

Father's Residence:

Appomattox

Mother's Name:

Elizabeth S Wright

No. at Birth:

1

The 1880 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed W. W. Wright with the following household on June 3 & 4, 1880:

<u>Name</u>		Color	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	Month o	of	Relationship
W W Wright Elizabeth Wright Lelia Wright Mary H Wright Madora Ann Wright Bertha C Wright Blanche Wright Sam W Wright Richard Wright		W W W W W W W	M F F F F M M	60 45 18 16 14 12 11 7 57			wife Daughter Daughter Daughter Daughter Daughter Son Brother
Marital Status	Married During Year	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>n</u>	ļ	Months Unem- ployed	Deaf	ness Blind & Dumb c Disabled
M M S S S S S S S S		Farming Keeping H Daughter At Home At Home At Home At Home	ouse				
Attended School Within Year	Cannot Read	Cannot <u>Write</u>	<u>Born</u>		Father Born		Mother Born
1 1 1			Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia	a a a a a	Va Va Va Va Va Va Va		Va Va Va Va Va Va Va Va

This record indicates that William Washington Wright was born in about 1820 and that Elizabeth Susan (____) Wright was born in about 1835.

The marriage record of Robert Braxton Wright and Martha H. Wright dated November 30, 1881, at Amherst County, Virginia, listed his parents as William Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan Wright.

On April 5, 1886, at Appomattox County, Virginia, D.B. 4/338 W. W. Wright executed a deed of trust to John J. Carson to secure a debt of \$150 due to W. C. Page:

"This Deed made and entered into this 5th day of April 1886 between W W Wright of the one part & John J. Carson of the other part Trustee - Witnesseth that the said W W Wright doth grant unto the said John J Carson the following property to wit, one piece or parcel of land on little Wreck Island Creek and bounded by the lands of John J Carson, Joe Phelps' Est & others & containing 57 acres be the same more or less. In trust to secure the payment of a bond of \$150.00 dated the 5th day of April 1886 due W C Page borrowed money to make the last payment on tract of land; and the said W. W. Wright doth covenant & agree to warrant generally the property hereby conveyed & it is covenanted & agreed between the said W W Wright & the said Trustee, that whenever he shall be required to close the deed of the said 5th of April 1886, he shall, after giving due notice of same, proceed to sell the said lands or so much thereof as shall satisfy the said bond & interest thereon from date to payment of same & whatever remains after paying the said sum of \$150 with interest thereon as aforesaid shall be paid to the said W W Wright.

Witness the following Signature & Seal

W. W. Wright

State of Virginia
Appomattox County to wit:

I, T J Stratton a Notary Public for the County aforesaid State of Virginia do certify that W W Wright whose name is signed to the above writing bearing date the 5th day of April 1886 has acknowledged the same before me in my said County

Given under my hand this 5th day of April 1886.

T. J Stratten N.P.

In the Clerks Office of Appomattox County Court April 8 1886

This Deed was this day received in this Office and upon the annexed Certificate of acknowledgement admitted to record

Teste Geo. T. Peers, Clk In the Clerks Office of Appomattox County Court March 22d 1900.

This Original Deed, which has heretofore been recorded in this Office, was this day again produced in said office and the book containing the original record thereof having been lost by fire by the burning of the Clerks Office, on the application of W C Page, the beneficiary, the same is recorded anew.

Teste Geo T. Peers, Clk"

As will be set forth below, the same property used to secure this debt was the subject of a further transaction between William W. Wright and his wife Elizabeth S. (____) Wright, thus identifying the W. W. Wright of this document as William Washington Wright.

The 1900 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright with the following household on June 14, 1900:

	Location		
In Cities House Street Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation		Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
Stonewall District June 14, 1900			
	129	142	Wm W Wright Elizabeth Wright Richd T Wright Page H C Page Mary H Page Ruby S Page Mary E Page Alicia B Page Edward C Page

Relation	Personal Description					
Relationship of					Age at	Whether single,
each person the	Color		Date o	f Birth	last	married, widowed,
head the family	or race	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Month</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>birthday</u>	or divorced
Head	W	М	Augt	1821	78	M
Wife	W	F	Jan	1836	64	M
Brother	W	M	Mch	1823	77	S
Son in Law	W	M	June	1854	45	M
Daughter	W	F	Apl	1869	31	M
Gr Daughter	W	F	Mch	1893	7	S
Gr Daughter	W	F	Mch	1895	5	
Gr Daughter	W	F	Dec	1896	3	
Gr Son	W	M	Apr	1899	1	

Personal Description [cont'd]			Nativity		
			Place of birth of each person and		
			parents of each person enumerated.		
				Place of	Place of
Number	Mother of	Number of	Place of	birth of	birth of
of years	how many	these child-	birth of	Father of	Mother of
married	<u>children</u>	ren living	this Person	this person	this person
48			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
48	10	7	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
10			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
10	4	4	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia

<u>Citizenship</u>			Occupation Trade, Or Profession Education				
Year of	Number		of each person Ten Y	ears of age			
immi-	of years		and over.				
gration to	in the			Months	Attended		
the United	United	Natural-		not	school in		
<u>States</u>	<u>States</u>	<u>ization</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>employed</u>	months)		
			_				
			Farmer				
			Doulaborer				
			Day Laborer Farm Laborer				
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E	ducation	n [cont'd]		Ownership Of Home						
Can <u>read</u>	Can <u>write</u>	Can speak English	Owned or rented	Owned free or mortgaged	Farm or house	Number of farm schedule				
yes	yes	yes	0	F	F	72				
yes	yes	yes								
no	no	yes								
yes	yes	yes								
yes	yes	yes								

On May 19, 1904, at Appomattox County, Virginia, D.B. 7/335 William W. Wright gifted to his wife Elizabeth S. Wright and his children with a reserved life estate 57 acres of land that had been allotted to him from the estate of Helena Wright estate:

"This Deed made this 19th day of May 1904 between Wm W. Wright of the first part and Elizabeth S. Wright, his wife, of the second part. Witnesseth, that for and in consideration of the natural love and affection he has for his said wife, and of one dollar to him in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said Wm W. Wright doth give, grant and convey, with general warranty of title unto the said Elizabeth S. Wright and her heirs, a certain tract of land lying in the County of Appomattox on little Wreck Island Creek adjoining the lands of John J. Carson, Spencer Moore & others and being the land on which he now resides, containing fifty seven acres and being the same 57 acres which was allotted to the said W. W. Wright of the Helena Wright tract, by proceedings in a Chancery suit in the Circuit Court of Appomattox County of Stewart &c vs. Wright &c, the record of which suit was destroyed by fire. To have and to hold in fee simple with the right to said W. W. Wright to live on said land with her during his natural life And in case he shall survive his said wife then at his death said land shall be equally divided between all of her children. And the said W. W.

Wright covenants that he has the right to convey said land in fee simple free from incumbrance, notwithstanding the fact that on April 5th 1886 he executed a deed of trust on said tract of land to John J. Carson trustee to secure one W. C. Page the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars as of that date, for the reason that said debt to said Page has been fully paid, satisfied and discharged by the said Page, with his family, living in the house with him and being supported, and with his family cared for for the last nine years - for which he make a charge of five dollars a month for the past eight years, aggregating a much larger amount than the said debt with the interest thereon, but which deed of trust nor debt has been settled otherwise because it was intended to be paid off in this way by board and care for his family, thus leaving the said W. C. Page indebted to the said W. W. Wright. Witness the following signature and seal

Teste his
Geo. T. Peers Wm W. X Wright
mark

In the Clerks Office of Appomattox Circuit Court May 19th 1904

This Deed was this day produced in this Office and acknowledged before me therein by Wm W. Wright whose name is signed thereto and thereupon admitted to record

Teste Geo. T. Peers, Clk."

On April 25, 1910, at Appomattox County, Virginia, D.B. 12/10 John J. Carson, as trustee, reconveyed a deed of trust to the heirs of William W. Wright:

"This Deed, made this the 25th day of April 1910, between John J. Carson, trustee, of the first part and W. C. Page of the second part.

Witnesseth: That Whereas, by a deed dated the 5th day of April 1886, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the County of Appomattox, Deed Book No. 4, pages 338-339, one W. W. Wright, now deceased, in order to secure to the said W. C. Page, the payment of a bond for the sum of \$150.00, did convey in trust to the said John J. Carson a certain tract or parcel of land with the appurtenances set forth and described in said deed:

And Whereas, the said bond has been fully paid, and the heirs at law and parties interested in the estate of the said W. W. Wright, desire that the said property should be released from the said Deed of Trust.

Now, Therefore, In consideration of the premises, and for the further consideration of \$1.00 to the said John J. Carson in hand paid, at and before the

sealing and delivery of this deed, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and at the request and with the consent of the said W. C. Page, testified to by his becoming a party to this deed and signing and sealing the same, the said John J. Carson, Trustee, doth grant, bargain, assign, and release unto the said heirs at law of the said W. W. Wright, or to the owners of said real estate of which he died seized and possessed, and assign forever with Special Warranty the said tract of land with its appurtenances and privileges set forth and described in the deed of trust aforesaid as follows, to-wit:

"One piece or parcel of land on Little Wreck Island Creek, and bounded by the lands of John J. Carson, J. W. Phelps and Others, and containing 57 acres, be the same more or less".

To have and to hold the said premises and appurtenances unto the said W. W. Wright's heirs at law and assigns forever.

And the said W. C. Page doth hereby release to the said W. W. Wright's heirs at law and assigns forever, all of his claim, title, right and equities in and to the said premises and appurtenances.

Witnesseth following signatures and seals.

W. C. Page G. W. Stanley J. J. Carson, Trustee.

State of Virginia, City of Lynchburg, to-wit:

I, S. R. Weigand, a Notary Public in and for the City of Lynchburg, in the State of Virginia, do certify that W. C. Page, whose name is signed to the foregoing deed, bearing date on the 25th day of April, 1910, has acknowledged the same before me in my City aforesaid

Given under my hand this 7th day of May 1911

S. R. Weigand N.P. My commission expires June 1-1911.

State of Virginia, County of Appomattox, to-wit:

I, F. G. Thorp, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County of Appomattox, in the State of Virginia, do certify that John J. Carson, whose name is signed as Trustee to the foregoing deed, bearing date on the 25th day of April 1910, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 10 day of May 1910.

F. G. Thorp, J.P.

In the Clerk's Office of Appomattox Circuit Court, May 23rd, 1910. This deed was this day received in this office, and, upon the annexed certificates of acknowledgment, admitted to record.

Teste:
J. R. Horsley, Clerk."

This reconveyance in conjunction with Appomattox Deed 7/335 indicate that William Washington Wright died between May 19, 1904, and April 25, 1910.

On May 5, 1910, at Appomattox County, Virginia, Deed 12/12 Elizabeth S. Wright of Lynchburg, Virginia, sold to A. A. Bell the 57 acres of land gifted to her by her husband William Washington Wright:

"This Deed, Made this the 5th day of May 1910, between Elizabeth S. Wright, of Lynchburg, Virginia, party of the first part, and A A. Bell of the County of Appomattox, Virginia party of the second part.

Witnesseth: That in consideration of (\$325.00) Three Hundred and Twenty Five Dollars, cash in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said Elizabeth S. Wright party of the first part, doth grant and convey with General Warranty of title, unto the said A. A. Bell, party of the second part, a certain tract of land containing 57 acres, more or less, with all the buildings and improvements thereof, situated in Stonewall District of the County of Appomattox, Virginia, on both sides of Little Wreck Island Creek, near Carsons Mill, adjoining the lands of J. J. Carson, S. R. Martin, Mrs. F. D. Horsley and Others, being the same tract of land which was conveyed to the said Elizabeth S. Wright by her husband, the late Wm W. Wright, by deed bearing date on the 19th day of May 1904, which is of record in the Clerk's Office of the County of Appomattox, Deed Book No. 7, pages 335-336, to which reference is here made for a fuller description of said tract of land.

The said party of the first part covenants that she has a right to convey the said land to the grantee; that she has done n act to encumber the same, and that the grantee shall have quiet and peaceful possession of said land free from encumbrance, and that she will execute such other and further assurance of said land as may be requisite.

Witness the following signature and seal.

Elizbth. S. Wright.

State of Virginia, City of Lynchburg, to-wit:

I, S. R. Weigand a Notary public for the City of Lynchburg, in the State of Virginia, do certify that Elizabeth S. Wright, whose name is signed to the foregoing deed, bearing date on the 5th day of May, 1910, has acknowledged the same before me in my City aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 7th day of May 1910.

S. R. Weigand, My commission expires June 1-1911.

In the Clerk's Office of Appomattox Circuit Court, May 23rd, 1910. This deed was this day received in this office, and, upon the annexed certificate of acknowledgment, admitted to record.

Teste: J. R. Horsley, Clerk."

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that William Washington Wright was a son of William P. Wright and Helena (_____) Wright, was born in about 1822, married Elizabeth Susan Alvis, enlisted on March 6, 1862, in Captain Thomas Johns' company in the 10th & 19th Battalions of Heavy Artillery in the Civil War, was absent on August 31, 1862, and deserted on September 20, 1862, wanted to be a preacher, but could not afford the education required and on his death bed stated that he had been waiting to die, because he had been a believer in Christ since he was 13, that Elizabeth Susan (Alvis) Wright was born in about 1837, and that William Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan (Alvis) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Mildred A. Wright,
- 2) Charles W. Wright, born in October 1853 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 3) Robert Braxton Wright, born on May 22, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
 - 4) Sallie F. Wright, born in about 1859, and
 - 5) Jillette Wright, born in January 1871 at Appomattox County, Virginia.

From the evidence set forth above and additional evidence set forth below, the children of William Washington Wright and Elizabeth T. or S. (____) Wright were the following:

- 1) Robert Braxton Wright, born on May 22, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 2) Charles W. Wright, born in about October 1853 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 3) Lelia or Lelice F. or T. (Wright) Bell, born in about 1859 or 1862 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
 - 4) Mary H. Wright, born on April 12, 1861, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 5) Ora B. or Dora Ann or Madora Ann (Wright) Bell, born in about 1863 or 1866 or 1868 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 6) Bertha or Martha C. Wright, born on August 23, 1866, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 7) Sarah "Sallie" Blanche (Wright) Anderson, born in about 1869 or 1872 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 8) Jillette Wright, born in about January 1871 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 9) Samuel W. Wright, born on December 3, 1872, at Appomattox County, Virginia, and
 - 10) Millie Wright, born on July 25, 1879, at Appomattox County, Virginia.
 - i. 1933 Robert Braxton Wright Of Lynchburg, His Wife
 Martha Helena "Mattie" (Wright) Wright, And His
 Descendants

1933 Robert Braxton Wright of Lynchburg was a son of William Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, William Washington⁴)

The birth record of Robert P. Wright, son of William W. and Elizabeth S. Wright, was dated on May 22, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Date of Birth:

Robert P Wright May 22, 1855

Color:

Sex:

Alive

Born:

Appomattox

Place of Birth: Father's Name:

William W Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Appomattox

Mother's Name:

Elizabeth S Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Informant:

W W Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

As will be set forth below, this child's name was Robert Braxton Wright.

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Robert B. Wright in the William W. Wright household on August 30, 1860, and his age as 5 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1855.

The birth record of Martha H. Wright, daughter of Benjamin E. and Mary Wright, was dated in September 1862 at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Martha H Wright

Date of Birth:

September 1862

Color:

White Female

Sex: Born:

Alive

Place of Birth: Father's Name:

Appomattox Benj E Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Appomattox

Mother's Name:

Mary Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Informant:

Wm. W Wright

Relation of Informant:

Uncle

The 1870 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Robert B. Wright in the William W. Wright household on August 8, 1870, and his age as 15 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1855.

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Mattie Wright in the Benjamin W. Wright household on August 31, 1870, and her age as 8 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1862.

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Mattie Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on June 2, 1880, and her age as 17 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1863.

The marriage record of Robert Braxton Wright and Martha H. Wright was dated on November 30, 1881, at Amherst County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Marriage License.

Virginia, Amherst County to wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Robert Braxton Wright and Martha H. Wright

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Amherst County this 29th day of November 1881

Chas. L. Ellis, Clerk.

Certificate to Obtain a Marriage License,

Time of Marriage,
Place of Marriage,
Full Names of Parties Married, R. B. Wright and Martha H. Wright
Colour, White
Age of Husband, 26 years
Age of Wife, 19 years
Condition of Husband, (widowed or single,) Single
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single,) Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Appomattox Co
Place of Wife's Birth, Appomattox Co
Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst County
Place of Wife's Residence, Amherst County
Names of Husband's Parents, Wm. Washington and Elizabeth Susan
Names of Wife's Parents, Benjamin Edward and Mary Francis
Occupation of Husband, Miller

Given under my hand this 29th day of November 1881

Ch. L. Ellis Clerk.

Minister's Return Of Marriage.

I Certify, That on the 30" day of November 1881, at Mrs Wrights I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

N. A. Wingfield"

The birth record of Benjamin William Wright, son of R. B. and Martha Wright, was dated in December 1883 at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Benjamin Wm Wright

Date of Birth:

December 1883

Color: Sex: White

Born:

Male Alive

Place:

Amherst County

Father's Name:

R. B Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Amherst County

Mother's Name:

Martha Wright

No. at Birth:

- 1

Deformity:

None

Informant:

Martha Wright

Relation:

Mother"

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Robert _ Wright with the following household:

		Location		
In (Cities House <u>Number</u>	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
		152	152	Robert Wright Martha H Wright Benjamin Wright Nannie Wright Ruth Wright

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Son	W	M	Dec	1883	16		S
daughter	W	F	Sep	1888	11		S
daughter	W	F	April	1893	7		S
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of years	how many	childre	en	birth of	Father	of	Mother of
<u>married</u>	<u>children</u>	living	-	this Perso	n this per	<u>rson</u>	this person
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Personal Description

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<u>read</u>	<u>write</u>	English	or rented	or mortgaged	house	fam schedule		
Yes	Yes	Yes						
Yes	Yes	Yes						
Yes	Yes	Yes						
Yes	Yes	Yes						
Yes	Yes	Yes						

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the obituary of Robert Braxton Wright was published on June 9, 1933, in The News, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Funeral of Mr. Wright

Funeral services for Robert B. Wright were conducted yesterday afternoon at the home 1207 Campbell avenue by Rev. John L. Suttenfield, Rev. A. L. Franklin and Rev. J. T. Watson. The choir from Fairview Christian Church sang. Burial was in Presbyterian cemetery.

Flowers were carried by grandchildren of Mr. Wright, as follows: Edward and Eugene Wright, and Robert Whorley and Misses Carolyn Whorley, Frances Moore, Inez Wright, Mallie and Elise Gilchrist, Joyce Wright, Winifred Moor and Doris Moore and Mr. Ed Wright.

Honorary pallbearers were Alex Thompson, Ashby Hodges, McD. Landrum, R. D. Thornhill, W. W. Coffey, Charles Wright, Dr. R. M. Taliaferro, Claude Hodges, Clayton Watts, Preston Rodes, George Dalton, John Loving and E. W. Mayhew.

Active pallbearers were Jack L. Thompson, R. B. Ayers, Sidney and Charles Stevens and S. J. and O. H. Woody."

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright also enclosed a family report which stated that the obituary of Martha Helena (Wright) Wright was published on June2, 1945, in The News, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Mrs. Martha Helena Wright, 82, died at her home, 1207 Campbell Avenue, at 5:20 o'clock yesterday afternoon after an illness of one week. Born October 14, 1862, in Amherst County, she was the daughter of Robert Braxton Wright [sic] and Mary Rogers Wright. She was a member of Memorial Methodist Church. Surviving Mrs. Wright are one son, Benjamin W. Wright, and one daughter, Mrs. Ruth Moore, both of Lynchburg; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren;

one brother, Frank B. Wright of Madison Heights, and one sister, Mrs. E. M. Stephens of Lynchburg.

Funeral services will be conducted from the home at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon. Burial will be in Presbyterian Cemetery."

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that Martha "Mattie" Wright was a daughter of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright, was born in about 1862 at Appomattox County, Virginia, resided in 1870 and 1880 at Amherst County, Virginia, married Robert Braxton Wright on November 27, 1881, at Amherst County, Virginia, resided in 1910 at Lynchburg, Virginia, that Robert Braxton Wright was born in 1855, and that Martha "Mattie" (Wright) Wright and Robert Braxton Wright had the following children:

- 1) Benjamin Wright, born in 1883,
- 2) Nancy "Nannie" Wright, born in 1888, and
- 3) Ruth "Louisa" Wright, born in 1893.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright also enclosed a family report which stated that Robert Braxton Wright was a son of William Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan (Alvis) Wright, was born on May 22, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia, married Martha Helena Wright, daughter of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, on November 30, 1881, at Amherst County, Virginia, was a wagon maker, died on June 6, 1933, at Lynchburg, Virginia, and was buried at Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia, that Martha Helena (Wright) Wright was born on October 14, 1862, at Appomattox County, Virginia, died on June 1, 1945, at Lynchburg, Virginia, and was buried at Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia, and that Robert Braxton Wright and Martha Helena (Wright) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Benjamin William Wright, born on December 2, 1883, at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 2) Nannie Frances Wright, born on September 24, 1888, at Amherst County, Virginia, and

3) Ruth Virginia Wright, born on April 13, 1893, at Amherst County, Virginia.
ii. <u>1853 Charles W. Wright Of Appomattox County</u>
1853 Charles W. Wright of Appomattox County was a
son of William Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan () Wright. (Robert¹,
Charles ² , 1881 William P. ³ , William Washington ⁴)
The death record of Charles W. Wright was dated on December 5, 1853, at
Appomattox County, Virginia, and listed the following information:
"Place of Death: Appomattox County, Virginia Line Number: 103 Name of Deceased: Chs. W. Wright Race: White Sex: Male Age: 2 Months Date of Death: December 5, 1853 Place: Appomattox Cause of Death: Hives Name of Parents: W. W. Wright & (Not Stated) Birthplace of Deceased: Appomattox Occupation: Not Stated Consort of: Not Stated Name of Informant: W. W. Wright Relation of Informant: Father Commissioner of the Revenue: Date Record Filed: May 1854"
The age at death fits this birth appropriately between Robert B. Wright and Sallie F.
Wright and thus identifies this person as the child of William W. Wright and Elizabeth T.
() Wright, rather than of William W. Wright and Susan F. Wright who also resided
in Appomattox at this time.
iii. <u>Lelia Or Lelice F. Or T. (Wright) Bell And Her</u>
Husband Albion A. Bell
Lelia or Lelice F. or T. (Wright) Bell was a daughter of
William Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan () Wright. (Robert ¹ , Charles ² , 1881 William P. ³ , William Washington ⁴)

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Silia F. Wright in the William W. Wright household and her age as 1 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1859.

The 1870 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Lelice F. Wright in the William Wright household on August 8, 1870, and her age as 11 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1859.

The 1880 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Lelia Wright in the W. W. Wright household on June 3 & 4, 1880, and her age as 18 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1862.

The marriage record of Lelia T. Wright and Albion A. Bell was dated on June 29, 1889, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Time of Marriage, June 29, 1889

Place of Marriage, Appomattox

Full Names of Parties Married, Albion A Bell & Lelia T. Wright

Color: White

Age of Husband, 30

Age of Wife, 27

Condition of Husband, Single

Condition of Wife, Single

Place of Husband's Birth, Appomattox

Place of Wife's Birth, Appomattox

Place of Husband's Residence, Appomattox

Place of Wife's Residence, Appomattox

Names of Husband's Parents, Saml A Bell & wife

Names of Wife's Parents, W. W. Wright & wife

Occupation of Husband, Farmer"

This record indicates that Lelia T. (Wright) Bell was born in about 1862 and that Albion A. Bell was born in about 1859.

iv. Mary H. Wright

Mary H. Wright was a daughter of William

Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan (_____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, William Washington⁴)

The birth record of Mary H. Wright, daughter of William W. and Elizabeth S. Wright, was dated on April 12, 1861, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: Mary H Wright Date of Birth: April 12, 1861

Color: White Sex: Female Born: Alive

Place of Birth: Appomattox Father's Name: Wm W Wright

Father's Occupation: Farmer

Mother's Name: Elizabeth S Wright

No. at Birth:

Informant: Wm W Wright

Relation of Informant: Father

The 1870 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Mary H. Wright in the William W. Wright household on August 8, 1870, and her age as 9 and born in East Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1861.

The 1880 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Mary H. Wright in the W. W. Wright household on June 3 & 4, 1880, and her age as 16 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1864.

v. Ora B. Or Dora A. Or Madora Ann (Wright) Bell And
Her Husband James A. Bell

Ora B. or Dora A. or Madora Ann (Wright) Bell was a

daughter of William Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, William Washington⁴)

The birth record of Ora B. Wright, daughter of W. W. and E. S. Wright, was dated in 1868 at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: Ora B Wright

Date of Birth: 1868
Color: White
Sex: Female
Born: Alive

Place of Birth: Appomattox
Father's Name: W W Wright
Father's Occupation: Farmer
Father's Residence: Appomattox
Mother's Name: E S Wright

No. at Birth: 1

Informant: W W Wright

Relation of Informant: Father

The 1870 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Dora Ann Wright in the William W. Wright household on August 8, 1870, and her age as 7 and born in East Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1863.

The 1880 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Madora Ann Wright in the W. W. Wright household on June 3 & 4, 1880, and her age as 14 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1866.

The marriage record of Dora A. Wright and James A. Bell was dated on June 22, 1892, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Marriage License

Virginia, June 21st 1891 to wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, James A. Bell and Dora A. Wright

Given under my hand, as County Court of Appomattox Co this 21st day of June 1892

Geo W Abbitt Clerk

Time of Marriage, June 22d 1892
Place of Marriage, Appo Co
Full Names of Parties Married, James A Bell Dora A. Wright
Color, Wht
Age of Husband, 28 Years
Age of Wife, 26 Years
Condition of Husband (single),
Condition of Wife (single),
Place of Husband's Birth, Appo. Co
Place of Wife's Birth, Appo. Co.
Place of Husband's Residence, Appo. Co.
Place of Wife's Residence, Appo. Co.
Names of Husband's Parents, Saml A Bell & Wife
Names of Wife's Parents, Wm Wright & wife
Occupation of Husband, Farmer

Given under my hand this 21st day of June 1892

Geo. W. Abbitt Clerk.

Minister's Return of Marriage,

I Certify, That on the 22nd day of June 1892 at Spanish Oaks, Appomattox Co Va I united in Marriage the above=named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

A. A. Rice"

vi. <u>Bertha Or Martha C. Wright</u>

Bertha or Martha C. Wright was a daughter of William

Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, William Washington⁴)

The birth record of Bertha C. Wright, daughter of W. W. and E. S. Wright, was dated on August 23, 1866, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Bertha C Wright

Date of Birth:

August 23, 1866

Color:

White Female

Sex: Born:

Alive

Place of Birth: Father's Name:

Appomattox W W Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Appomattox

Mother's Name:

E S Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Informant:

W W Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

The 1870 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Martha C. Wright in the William W. Wright household on August 8, 1870, and her age as 4 and born in East Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1866.

The 1880 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Bertha C. Wright in the W. W. Wright household on June 3 & 4, 1880, and her age as 12 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1868.

vii. <u>Sarah "Sallie" Blanche (Wright) Anderson And Her</u> <u>Husband William C. Anderson</u>

Sarah "Sallie" Blanche (Wright) Anderson was a

daughter of William Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, William Washington⁴)

The 1870 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Sarah B. Wright in the William W. Wright household on August 8, 1870, and her age as 1 and born in East Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1869.

The 1880 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Blanche Wright in the W. W. Wright household on June 3 & 4, 1880, and her age as 11 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1869.

The marriage record of Sallie B. Wright and William C. Anderson was dated on December 27, 1898, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Marriage License

Virginia, Appomattox County to wit:
To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, William C. Anderson and Sallie B. Wright

Given under my hand, as County Court of Appomattox County this 26th day of December 1898

Geo. T. Peers Clerk

Time of Marriage, December 29th 1898
Place of Marriage, Appomattox Co
Full Names of Parties Married, William C Anderson & Sallie B Wright
Color, White
Age of Husband, 27 Years
Age of Wife, 26 Years
Condition of Husband (widowed or single), Widower
Condition of Wife (widowed or single), Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Prince Edwd Co
Place of Wife's Birth, Appomattox Co
Place of Husband's Residence, Norfolk Co

Place of Wife's Residence, Appomattox Co Names of Husband's Parents, Wm Anderson & W Names of Wife's Parents, Wm W Wright & wife Occupation of Husband, Railroadman

Given under my hand this 26th day of 12 1898

Geo. T. Peers Clerk.

Minister's Return of Marriage,

I Certify, That on the 27" day of December 1898 at the Parsonage, Appomattox I united in Marriage the above=named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

Rev P. M. Bell"

viii. Jillette Wright

Jillette Wright was a daughter of William Washington

Wright and Elizabeth Susan (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³,

William Washington⁴)

The death record of Jillette Wright was dated on April 22, 1871, at Appomattox County, Virginia, and listed the following information:

"Place of Death:

Appomattox County, Virginia

Line Number:

17

Name of Deceased:

Jillette Wright

Race:

White

Sex:

Female 4 Months

Age: Date of Death:

April 22, 1871

Place:

Appomattox

Cause of Death:

Whooping Cough

Name of Parents:

Wm. W. Wright & Elizabeth Wright

Birthplace of Deceased:

Appomattox Not Stated

Occupation:

Consort of:

Not Stated

Name of Informant:

Wm. W. Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

Commissioner of the Revenue:

Henry D. Legrand

Date Record Filed:

August 1872"

ix. Samuel W. Wright

Samuel W. Wright was a son of William Washington

Wright and Elizabeth Susan (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, William Washington⁴)

The birth record of Samuel W. Wright, son of W. W. and Elizabeth S. Wright, was dated on December 3, 1872, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Sam W Wright

Date of Birth:

December 3, 1872

Color:

White

Sex:

Male

Place of Birth: Father's Name:

Appomattox W W Wright

Father's Residence:

Appomattox

Mother's Name:

Elizabeth S Wright

No. at Birth:

1

The 1880 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Sam W. Wright in the W. W. Wright household on June 3 & 4, 1880, and his age as 7 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1873.

v. Millie Wright

Millie Wright was a daughter of 1881 William

Washington Wright and Elizabeth Susan (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, William Washington⁴)

The birth record of Millie Wright, daughter of W. W. and E. S. Wright, was dated on July 25, 1879, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Millie Wright

Date of Birth:

July 25, 1879

Color:

White

Sex:

Female

Born:

Alive

Place of Birth:

Appomattox

Father's Name:

W W Wright Farmer

Father's Residence:

Father's Occupation:

Appomattox

Mother's Name:

E. S Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Deformity:

Natural

Informant:

W W Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

The death certificate of Millie Wright was dated on September 12, 1879, at Appomattox County, Virginia, and listed the following information:

"Place of Death:

Appomattox County, Virginia

Line Number:

119

Name of Deceased:

Mildred A. Wright

Race:

White Female

Sex: Age:

50

Date of Death:

June 30, 1876

Place:

Appomattox Pneumonia

Cause of Death: Name of Parents:

Not Stated

Birthplace of Deceased:

Not Stated Not Stated

Occupation: Consort of:

Camp S. Wright

Name of Informant: Relation of Informant: J. J. D. Son

Relation of Informant:

Commissioner of the Revenue:

Andrew B. Baker

Date Record Filed:

August 1877"

b. Richard T. Wright

Richard T. Wright was a son of 1881 William P. Wright of

Appomattox County and Helena (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³)

The 1845 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard P. Wright as a person transferred from the Buckingham County List:

Persons Transferred from Buckingham County

White Males

<u>Name</u>

Over 16

Richard P. Wright

1

The appearance of Richard T. Wright in the subsequent Appomattox County Lists and the absence of any Richard P. Wright in those lists indicates that this listing was probably for Richard T. Wright.

The 1847 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household:

_		Persons (able With Richard	_	White males above 16 years of age	above 16	Slaves above 12 <u>years of age</u>
N	Horses Mules <u>&c</u> 2	4 wheel ple sure carriag and harnes and value	ges and valu	•	2 Wheel plea- sure carriages and harness and value	
	Patent le	ver or ver watches		letallic Other ocks clocks		Plate over the ralue of \$50
p	Attornies paying sp pific tax, a am't of ta	oe- paying and cific ta	urgeons Den g spe- payi x, and cific	tists loa ng spe- ac tax, and int	n't of int. or prof aned out, or on quired by purch erest, profits, or state or corpor	bonds ase, including dividends,
У \$	\$400 rec	nonied come over eived as sal- ees of office		Ferries- am't of yearly rent or value over \$100	Newspaper printing presses, and amount of tax	Total amount of tax Dollars Cents
						.20
				• •	x County, Virgii	nia, listed
Richard	l T. Wrig	ht with the fo	ollowing housel			
_		Persons (able With		White male above 16 years of age	s Slaves above 16 e years of age	Slaves above 12 <u>years of age</u>

1

Richard T Wright

Horses Mules &c	sure and	neel plea carriag harness value	es	inclu	ges, value Iding Iess), i	and harr	ryalls ness, value		2 Wheel ple sure carriag and harness and value	es	Gold watches
								1				
Patent lever or Other Metallic Other Pianos, Plate over the lepine silver watches watches clocks clocks and value value of \$50												
Attornies paying s cific tax, am't of ta	pe- and	Physic and su paying cific tax amoun	rgeor spe- k, and	d	Denti payin cific t <u>amou</u>	ig s ax,	and	lo a ii	oa acc nte	n't of int. or proned out, or on out, or on out, or on out, or on out, or out,	n bo chas or d	onds se, including lividends,
Am't of monied Bridges- Ferries- Newspaper Total amount yearly income over am't of yearly am't of yearly printing of tax \$400 received as sal- rent or value rent or value presses, and Dollars over \$100 over \$100 amount of tax												
The 1849 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed and T. Wright with the following household on April 8:												

Richa

	Persons Chargable With Tax		White males above 16 years of age	Slaves above 16 <u>years of age</u>	Slaves above 12 years of age
April 8"	Richard T Wright		1		
Horses Mules <u>&c</u>	4 wheel plea- sure carriages and harness and value	Stages, and value, including harness	Carryalls and harness, and value	2 Wheel pleasure carriages and harness and value	

1

					1		
	Attornies paying specific tax, and am't of tax	Physicians and surgeor paying specific tax, and amount of tax	payin d cific t	sts g spe- ax, and int of tax	loaned ou	it, or on bo by purchas profits, or d	se, including lividends,
	Am't of mon yearly incom \$400 receive aries or fees	ne over am't ed as sal- rent	ges- of yearly or value	Ferries- am't of ye rent or va over \$100	lue presse	g o	otal amount f tax ollars cents
							.221/2
	The 1850 Pe	ersonal Propert	ty Tax List	for Appon	nattox Coun	ty, Virginia	a, listed
Richar	d T. Wright v	vith the followir	ng househo	old on Apri	il 1:		
	<u>at</u>	ersons Charge- ole With Tax	abo <u>yea</u>	ite males ve 16 rs of age	Male free negroes above sixteen	Slaves above 16 years of age	Slaves above 12 years of age
	Apl 1 Ri	chard T Wright		1			
	Horses su Mules ar	wheel plea- ire carriages id harness id value	Stages, and value including <u>harness</u>	Carrya , and harnes <u>and va</u>	sure o	eel plea- carriages arness alue	Gold <u>watches</u>
	Patent lever or lepine	Other	Metallic	Other	Pianos,	Harps and	Plate over the value

Metallic

<u>clocks</u>

Other

clocks

Pianos,

and value

Plate over the

value of \$50

clocks

<u>clocks</u>

<u>watches</u>

and value

<u>value</u>

of \$50

silver watches

Patent lever or

lepine silver watches

Other

watches watches

Attornies paying specific tax, and am't of tax	Physicians and surgeons paying specific tax, and amount of tax	Dentists paying spe-cific tax, and amount of tax	Amount of interest moneys loaned out acquired by purcha interest, profits, or on state or corpora	i, or on bonds ise, including dividends,
	ed yearly \$400 received fees of office	Bridges- am't of yearly rent or valuel over \$100	Ferries- am't of yearly rent or value over \$100	Total amount of tax <u>Dollars Cents</u>

The 1850 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright in the William W. Wright household on August 5, 1850:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	Sex	Color	<u>Occupati</u>	Value of on <u>Real Estate</u>
William W. Wrig William P. Wrig Richard T. Wrig	iht	28 50 28	M M M		Farmer Laborer Laborer	\$800
Place of Birth	Married Within <u>Year</u>	S	ttende chool Vithin Y	-	Cannot Read & <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb Blind Insane etc.
Virginia Virginia Virginia						

This record indicates that Richard T. Wright was born in about 1822 and suggests strongly that he was a son of William P. Wright.

The 1851 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on February 26:

0	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Male free negroes above 16 years of age	
Feby 26	Richard T Wright	1		

Slaves above twelve years of age	sure carria	ges, jers	ey wago	wheel riding ns or carryalls s belonging th	and		
Gold or I	ent lever epine er watches	Other watches	Metallic clocks	Other clocks	Value of pianoes and harps	Plate over the value of \$50	
Attorneys Who practise in Paying court of appeals, five chargeable with dollars ten dollars Am't interest or profits over \$ on moneys loaned out, or on bonds, notes or other securities for money acq'd by purchase, including state or corporation bonds							
Am't yearly income in Bridges and money over \$400, ferries - amount received as salaries &c, or as fees of office &c value over \$100							
Total amount Am't of tax for Remarks, Especially of tax county purposes as to appraisement Dollars Cents Dollars Cents of property by freeholders							

The 1852 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on May 20:

Dates of receiving lists		ns Charge- /ith Tax	Free males above 16 years of age	Slaves above 16 years of age	White males of 21 years of age
May 20	Richar	d T. Wright	1		1
Male free negroes be the ages of and 55 year	f 21	Slaves who have attained the age of 12 years, and upwards	Horses Mules, Asses <u>& Jennets</u> No. Value	s, Cattle, Shee <u>& Hogs</u> <u>No. Valu</u>	<u>Carriages</u>

	Carriages [Continued]									
	Stage Coa	<u>ches</u> <u>Je</u> ′alue No	<u>sey Wagor</u> . Valu		<u>yalls</u> Value	Bugg No	<u>jies</u> Value	<u>Gig</u> No.		
	<u>140.</u> <u>v</u>	<u>alue</u> <u>ito</u>	<u>. vala</u>	0 110.	vaido	110.	<u>value</u>	110.	<u>value</u>	_
	١٨	/atches			Clock	(S				
		atorics	S	ilver or				Pian		
	Gold No. Valu	<u>Metal</u>		her Meta		Other No.	/alua	and No.	Harps Value	<u>Plate</u> Value
	<u>No.</u> <u>Valu</u>	<u>e No.</u>	<u>value iv</u>	<u>o.</u> <u>Va</u>	iue	<u>110.</u> <u>1</u>	/alue	INU.	<u>vaiue</u>	<u>value</u>
	Household Other articles of Amount of solvent bonds or other and Kitchen personal property not Securities to, after deducting therefrom amount by, to others									
	Am't of capital (other than the value of the real estate) invested or used in a manufacturing or other unlicensed trade or business except agriculture Interest or profits over \$ arising from bonds or certificates of this or any other state or country, or of any public corporation, created by this or any other state									
	Amount of income Excess over \$100 in money over \$100 of yearly rent or annual Amount of exemptions in cattle, from salary, fees, value of toll-bridges sheep and hogs, or personal allowances,&c and ferries property in lieu thereof									
	Aggregate of values after Amount of tax Remarks - deducting exemptions Amount for county Especially embraced in the last column of tax purposes Freeho									
				.36						
	The 1853	Personal F	Property Ta	x List fo	r Appo	mattox	Count	y, Virç	ginia, list	ted
Richa	ırd T. Wrigh	t with the f	ollowing ho	ousehold	on Ju	ne 11:				
	Date of receiving lists	Persons able Wit	Charge- h Tax			male peethe a		at	aves wh tained tl 16 year	ne age
	June 11	Richard	T. Wright			1				

White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity	Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years						
1							
Cattle, Pleasure carriages sheep coaches, jersey was and hogs carryalls, gigs and No. Value No.	agons,						
All gold and silver All household and plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds, securities and liquidated claims							
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining busine for which no license is required	ess evidences	moneys, bonds or other of debt under the control					
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies							
99 9		unt of interest or profit from bonds or certificates of debt					
Amount of dividends Yearly is declared by insurance companies and tollbridg savings institutions	e of of tax on ges all person	Amount of tax for county purposes Remarks					

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The 1854 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on February 28:

Date of receiving Persons Cha	_	Free male pe above the ag 16 years	je of		s who have ed the age years	
Feby 28 Richard T. W	right	1				
White male inhabitants whave attained the age of years, except those exenfrom taxation on account bodily infirmity	Male free preduction of 21 are	Male free negroes Slaves who between the ages have atta of 21 and 55 the age of years years		ned m 12 <u>a</u> ı	orses nules, asses nd jennets o. Value	
1						
sheep coaches, je	arriages, stage rsey wagons, g <u>s and buggies</u> <u>Value</u>	<u>Watches</u> <u>No.</u> Value	<u>Clocks</u> <u>No.</u> <u>V</u>	<u> </u>	Pianos <u>and Harps</u> <u>No. Value</u>	
3	ousehold and <u>en furniture</u> <u>Value</u>	Aggregate all monies, securities a	solvent b	onds,		
Capital invested or used manufacturing, or mining for which no license is re	business	Amount of mo evidences of o of any court, r	debt und	er the	control	
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies						
All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes Amount Aggregate of values of of office income						

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for

<u>county purposes</u> Remarks

.40

The 1855 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on February 15:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	above the age of		aves who have ained the age 16 years
Feby 15	Richard T. Wright	1		
White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity		Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

1

Cattle,	Pleasure carriages, stage			
sheep	coaches, jersey wagons,			Pianos
and hogs	carryalls, gigs and buggies	Watches	Clocks	and Harps
No. Value	No. <u>Value</u>	No. Value	No. Value	No. Value

All gold and silver	All household	d and	Aggregate amount of		
plate and jewelry	kitchen furniture		all monies, solvent bonds,		
Value	<u>No.</u> <u>V</u>	<u>/alue</u>	securities and liquidated claims		

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Aggregate of values

Amount of all fees of office

Amount of income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects Amount of tax for

county purposes

Remarks

.40

The 1856 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on March 15:

Date of		Free male persons	Slaves who have
receiving	Persons Charge-	above the age of	attained the age
<u>lists</u>	able With Tax	16 years	of 16 years

March 15 Richard T Wright

1

White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity

Male free negroes Slaves who between the ages have attained mules, asses of 21 and 55 <u>years</u>

the age of 12 and jennets years

Horses Value No.

1

Cattle, Pleasure carriages, stage sheep coaches, jersey wagons, Pianos and hogs carryalls, gigs and buggies Watches Clocks and Harps No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value

All gold and silver All household and Aggregate amount of all monies, solvent bonds, Securities and liquidated claims

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Amount
Aggregate of all fees Amount of of values of office income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

.80

The 1857 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on February 20:

Date of receiving Persons Charge-lists able With Tax	Free male above the 16 years	•	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years					
Feby 20 Richard T Wright	1							
White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity								
1								
Cattle, Pleasure carriage coaches, jersey wand hogs carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,							
3	plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds,							
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining busing for which no license is required	ess evidences o	of debt und	onds or other der the control or commissioner					
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies								
All other articles of personal pro not embraced in this list, nor ex by the 3d and other sections of imposing taxes	empted		fees Amount of					

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all

Amount of tax for

person and subjects county purposes

Remarks

.80

The 1858 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on February 2:

					Tithal	bles	
Date of	D	- Oh		Free male	•		es who have
receiving lists	able W	s Charge- ith Tax		above the 16 years	age or		ned the age Syears
11010	<u>ubio 11</u>	KIT TOX		<u>10 youro</u>		01 10	youro
Feby 2	Richard	d T Wright		1			
White male							
have attair		ge of 21 e exempted		ee negroes			Horses
from taxati	•	•	of 21 a	n the ages nd 55	the age o		mules, asses and jennets
bodily infiri	mity		years		years	_	No. <u>Value</u>
	1						
	•						
Cattle	Dless	ura carriaga	o otogo				
Cattle, sheep		sure carriage: nes, jersey w					Pianos
and hogs	carry	alls, gigs and	buggies				and Harps
No. Value	<u>No.</u>		<u>Value</u>	No. Val	<u>lue No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	No. <u>Value</u>
All gold an		All househo			ite amount		
<u>plate and j</u> Valu		<u>kitchen furr</u> Value			es, solvent es and liqui		
vaic		Value		<u>300antic</u>	o and ngan	<u>aatou</u>	<u>olaimo</u>
Comital inv	4			A			4l
•				Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control			
	_	e is required					<u>nmissioner</u>

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Aggregate of values

Amount of all fees Ai of office in

Tithables

Amount of income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

.80

The 1859 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on February 5:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male above the <u>16 years</u>	age of att	aves who have aloned the age 16 years
Feby 5	Richard T Wright	1		
White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity		Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		•

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Cattle, Pleasure carriages, stage sheep coaches, jersey wagons, Pianos and hogs carryalls, gigs and buggies Watches Clocks and Harps No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value

All gold and silver All household and plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds, securities and liquidated claims

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Amount
Aggregate of all fees Amount of of values of office income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes Re

Remarks

.80

The 1860 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on February 6:

				Tithal	
Date of receiving	Persons Charge-		Free male above the	•	Slaves who have attained the age
lists	able With Tax		16 years	•	of 16 years
Feby 6	Richard T Wright		1		
have attair years, exc	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted ion on account of mity		ee negroes en the ages nd 55	Slaves when the age of years	ined mules, asses
	1				
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value		agons,			Pianos <u>s</u> <u>and Harps</u> Value <u>No.</u> Value
All gold an plate and Valu	jewelry kitchen furn		Sheep and hogs No. Value	monies, s	e amount of all olvent bonds, sec- d liquidated claims
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner					der the control
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or pro-			on nd	the perso and the a bonds or	e value of mal property m't of moneys, claims of internal nent companies

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All other articles of personal property
not embraced in this list, nor exempted
by the 3d and other sections of the act
imposing taxes

Amount
Aggregate of all fees Amount of of values of office income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Total amount of bonds issued by the State of Virginia held 1st February 1860. This column is only to obtain information

Remarks

.80

The 1860 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright and Benjamin E. Wright with the following property:

Name Of Owner	Residence	Estate whether held in Fee simple, life &c	No. of <u>Acres</u>
Benjamin E Wright & Wm W Wright	Resident	Fee	

	Description of		Value of	Sum added
	the land as	Distance	land per	to the
	to watercourses	and bearing	acre,	land on
Name	mountains and	from the	including	account of
of tract	contiguous tracts	<u>courthouse</u>	<u>buildings</u>	<u>buildings</u>

all the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land owned by Helenner Wright All the interest of Richard T Wright in the same tract

Amount of tax	Amount of	Explanation of
on the whole	tax for	alterations during the
tract, at the	county	preceding year, especially
legal rate	<u>purposes</u>	from whom transferred
	on the whole tract, at the	on the whole tax for tract, at the county

This record indicates that Benjamin E. Wright and William W. Wright had purchased the interest of Richard T. Wright in the estate of Helena Wright. In conjunction with the 1860 Census set forth below and the death certificate of Benjamin E. Wright set forth above, this record indicates that Richard T. Wright was a son of William P. Wright and Helena (____) Wright.

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright in the William W. Wright household on September 13, 1860:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Color</u>	Occi	<u>upation</u>	Value of <u>Real Estate</u>
Wm. W. Wr Elizabeth I. Richard T. V Robert B. W Silie F. Wrig	Wright Vright /right pht	39 23 36 5 1 29	M F M M F	Farmer Wife Laborer		\$800	
David M. W	rigni	29	IVI	Laborer			
Value of Personal <u>Property</u>	Place of Birth		arried thin ar	Attend School Within		Cannot Read & <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb Blind Insane etc.
\$255	Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia					1	

This record indicates that Richard T. Wright was born in about 1824.

The 1861 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household on February 25:

Names of Person		White males, slaves, ascer Number of who male inhabita who have attathe age of 21 taxed at 80 ceres.	tained fonite Ints Ints Inted Years,	_	s nale s ge of
Feb 25th Richard T Wri	ght	1			
White males, male free negro and slaves, ascertained for staxes for state taxes [cont'd]	tate rate	operty and capi e of forty cents lars value			orm
Number of male free negroes above the age of 21 years age of 12 y taxed at \$1	es who ass ed the jeni ears, <u>nur</u>	rses, mules, ses and nets, with their nber and value . Value	coad wag gigs the	sure carriag ches, jersey ons, carryall and buggies number and	s, s with
Property and capital, taxed as dollar value [Cont'd] Cattle Sheep No. Value No. Value	t the uniform Hogs No. Val	Watche	es	every hundr Clocks No. Value	ed
Property and capital, taxed a dollar value [Cont'd]	t the uniform	ı rate of forty c	ents on	every hundr	ed
Value of all Ag	gregate ue of all			of all money or other thi	
Pianos silver plate ho	usehold and chen furniture Value	solvent bon	ds, seci	urities, liquid whether in or	ated
Pianos silver plate hor and Harps plated ware kitch	usehold and chen furniture Value t the uniform	solvent bon e claims and of the state	ds, sectoredits vertically and the contract of	urities, liquid whether in or every hundr	ated r out —— ed

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal companies, which pay taxes on passengers and freight), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends of profits

Aggregate value of the personal property moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, not exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income where the taxes are scaled according to amount received

Fees received, and salaries or income, not more than \$250, taxed at half of one per centum Fees received, and salaries or income which are more than \$250, and not more than \$500, taxed at one per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income, which are more than \$500 and not more than \$100 taxed at 1½ per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income over \$1000, taxed at 2 per centum

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges

Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of this or any other state, or whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia) and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend taxed and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent
or annual
value of toll
bridges
or ferries,
taxed at
bridges
amount
of state
taxes on
all subjects

.80

For county levy

			Amount levied on slaves, land and other property,	
Number of	Male free		assessed with state taxes,	
white males	negroes	Slaves of	being per cent, on such	
above	above	both sexes	taxes, levied according to	Total levy
the age	the age	over 16	the 33d chapter of the	persons and
of 16 years	of 16 years	years of age	Code of Virginia	property

The 1862 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright with the following household:

	White males and free negroes,	ascertained state taxes
	Number of white male	Number of male free
Names of Persons Charged With Taxes	inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years	negroes above the age of 21 years
Richard T. Wright	1	

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate							
Numb	er and	Horses	, mules	Pleasure car	rriages,		
value	of slaves	asses and jennets		coaches, jer			
of all ages and with their number		carryalls, gig	s and buggies				
both s	sexes	and val	ue	with their nu	mber and value	C	attle
No.	<u>Value</u>	No.	<u>Value</u>	No.	<u>Value</u>	No.	Value

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]				
Sheep	Hogs	Watches	Clocks	Pianos and Harps
No. Value	No. Value	No. Value	No. Value	No. <u>Value</u>

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]				
	Aggregate	Aggregate amount of all	Amount of moneys,	
Value of	value of	moneys, contracts for	bonds, contracts,	
all gold	all house-	money or other thing, sol-	or other evidences of	
and silver	hold and	vent bonds, securities, liqui-	debt, under the control	
plate plated	kitchen	dated claims, and credits,	of any court, receiver	
ware jewelry	<u>furniture</u>	whether in or out of the state	or commissioner	

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or inno license is required

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal vested, or employed in any companies, which pay taxes on passengers and trade or business, for which frieght), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions which declare no dividends of profits

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies, except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value Fees of office received, and salaries or other income - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500 On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges [Cont'd]

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia), and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent or annual value of toll bridges or ferries, taxed of state taxes at 6 per centum on all subjects

Total amount

1.20

		For county	levy		-
Number of white males above the age of of 16 years	Male free negroes above the age of 16 years	Slaves of both sexes over 16 years of age	Amount levied on sand other property with state taxes be cent on such taxes according to the 53 ter of the Code of Year of	assessed ing per s, levied Bd chap-	Total levy on persons and property
1					
The 1863 Pe	rsonal Prope	erty Tax List f	for Appomattox Cou	ınty, Virgini	ia, listed
Richard T. Wright w	ith the follov	ving househo	ıld:		
	White ma Number of Names of Persons inhabitan Charged With Taxes attained to			Number	d state taxes of male free above the I years
Richard T. W	right		1		
Number and value of slave of all ages ar both sexes No. Valu	Horses asses a d with the and val	, mules and jennets eir number	I taxed at a uniform Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey wa carryalls, gigs and with their number a No.	s, agons, buggies	<u>Cattle</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u>

			<u> </u>						
Sheep Hogs		Watches	Clocks_	Pianos and Ha	rps				
<u>No.</u> Value	No. Value	<u>No.</u> Value	No. Value	<u>No.</u> <u>Va</u>	<u>llue</u>				
Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]									
	Aggregate	Aggregate amo	Amount of mone	eys,					
Value of	value of	moneys, contracts for bonds, contracts		3,					
all gold	all house-	money or other	thing, sol-	or other evidence	es of				
and silver	hold and	vent bonds, sec	urities, liqui-	debt, under the	control				
plate plated	kitchen	dated claims, ar	nd credits,	of any court, rec	eiver				
ware jewelry	<u>furniture</u>	whether in or ou	it of the state	or commissione	r				

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or invested, or employed in any no license is required

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal companies, which pay taxes on passengers and trade or business, for which frieght), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions which declare no dividends of profits

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies. except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Total value of all property taxed under this general head

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges [Cont'd]

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia), and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum Yearly rent or annual value of toll bridges or ferries, taxed at 6 per centum

Total amount of state taxes on all subjects

2.00

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			Amount levied on slaves, land	j
Number	Male free	Slaves	and other property assessed	
of white	negroes	of both	with state taxes being per	Total levy
males above	above	sexes over	cent on such taxes, levied	on persons
the age of	the age of	16 years	according to the 53d chap-	and
of 16 years	16 years	of age	ter of the Code of Virginia	property

1

The 1870 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard H. Wright in the William W. Wright household on August 8, 1870:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	<u>Occupation</u>	Value of Real <u>Estate</u>	Value of Personal <u>Property</u>
Wm W. Wright	42	М	W	Farmer	800	300
Elizabeth Wright	34	F	W	Keeping House		
Robert B Wright	15	M	W	Laborer		
Lelice F Wright	11	F	W	House		
Mary H Wright	9	F	W			
Dora Ann Wright	7	F	W			
Martha C. Wright	4	F	W			
Sarah B. Wright	1	F	W			
Susan Giles	68	F	W	At Home		
Richard H. Wright	42	М	W	Laborer on F.		

Place of	Married	Born Within	Attended School	Cannot	Cannot
Birth	<u>Within Year</u>	<u>Year</u>	Within Year	<u>Read</u>	<u>Write</u>
E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va E. Va					

Deaf Dumb Blind	Male Citizen	Male Citizen Over 21
Insane or Idiot	Over 21	Without Right to Vote
		1

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Although he was listed as Richard H. Wright, this seems clearly to be a listing for Richard T. Wright.

The 1880 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard Wright in the W. W. Wright household on June 3 & 4, 1880:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Color</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	Month of Birth	Relationship
W W Wright	W	М	60		
Elizabeth Wright	W	F	45		wife
Lelia Wright	W	F	18		Daughter
Mary H Wright	W	F	16		Daughter
Madora Ann Wright	W	F	14		Daughter
Bertha C Wright	W	F	12		Daughter
Blanche Wright	W	F	11		Daughter
Sam W Wright	W	M	7		Son
Richard Wright	W	M	57		Brother

Marital <u>Status</u>	Married During <u>Year</u>	Occupatio	<u>n</u>	Months Unem- ployed	Sickness Blind Deaf & Dumb Idiotic Disabled
M M S S S S S S S		Farming Keeping H Daughter At Home At Home At Home At Home	ouse		
Attended School Within Yea	Cannot r <u>Read</u>	Cannot <u>Write</u>	<u>Born</u>	Father <u>Born</u>	Mother <u>Born</u>
1 1 1			Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia	Va Va Va Va Va Va Va	Va Va Va Va Va Va Va Va

The listing of Richard Wright as the brother of W. W. Wright clearly identifies him as Richard T. Wright.

The 1900 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Richard T. Wright in the William W. Wright household on June 14, 1900:

In Cities House Street Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
Stonewall District June 14, 1900			
	129	142	Wm W Wright Elizabeth Wright Richd T Wright Page H C Page Mary H Page Ruby S Page Mary E Page Alicia B Page Edward C Page

Relation	Personal Description						
Relationship of each person the	Color		Date of	f Birth	Age at last	Whether single, married, widowed,	
head the family	or race	<u>Sex</u>	Month		birthday	or divorced	
Head	W	M	Augt	1821	78	M	
Wife	W	F	Jan	1836	64	M	
Brother	W	M	Mch	1823	77	S	
Son in Law	W	M	June	1854	45	M	
Daughter	W	F	Apl	1869	31	M	
Gr Daughter	W	F	Mch	1893	7	S	
Gr Daughter	W	F	Mch	1895	5		
Gr Daughter	W	F	Dec	1896	3		
Gr Son	W	M	Apr	1899	1		

Personal Description [cont'd]				Nativity		
			Place of birth of each person and			
				parents of each	•	
			_		Place of	Place of
Number	Mother of	Number of	-	Place of	birth of	birth of
of years	how many	these child	d-	birth of	Father of	Mother of
<u>married</u>	<u>children</u>	ren living		this Person	this person	this person
48				Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
48	10	7		Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
10	10	•		Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
10				Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
10	4	4		Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
	•	-		Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
				Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
				Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
				Virginia	Virginia	Virginia
	Citizenship		Oc	cupation Trade, 0	Or Profession	Education
Year of	Number			each person Ten		
immi-	of years			d over.	J	
gration to	in the				Months	Attended
the United	United	Natural-			not	school in
States	<u>States</u>	<u>ization</u>	<u>Oc</u>	<u>cupation</u>	<u>employed</u>	months)
			Far	mer		
			Da	y Laborer		
				m Laborer		
						0

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Education [cont'd] Ownership Of Home Can Owned Owned free Number of Can speak Can Farm or farm schedule <u>write</u> English or rented or mortgaged house <u>read</u> 0 F F 72 yes yes yes yes yes yes no no yes yes yes yes yes yes yes

d. <u>1880 Benjamin Edward Wright Of Amherst County, His Wife</u>

<u>Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, And His Descendants</u>

1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County was a son of 1881 William P. Wright of Appomattox County and Helena (_____) Wright. (Robert¹,

The 1848 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on February 9:

Charles², 1881 William P.³)

		ersons Ch ble With T	_		White rabove	16	above 16	Slaves above 12 years of age
Feb 9	I	Benjamin	E Wrig	jht	,	I		
Horses Mules <u>&c</u>	sure and	neel plea e carriage harness value	es ar ind	ages, ad value cluding arness	Carrya e, and harnes <u>and va</u>	ss,	2 Wheel pleasure carriages and harness and value	
Patent le lepine sil		•	Other watche		-	ther ocks		Plate over the alue of \$50
Attornies paying s cific tax, am't of tax	pe- and	Physicia and sur paying s cific tax amount	geons spe- , and	cific to	sts g spe- ax, and int of tax	loai acq inte	't of int. or profined out, or on luired by purcherest, profits, or state or corpora	oonds ase, including dividends,
Am't of r yearly in \$400 red aries or t	come ceived	over as sal-	Bridges am't of rent or over \$1	yearly value	Ferries- am't of y rent or va over \$10	early alue	Newspaper printing presses, and <u>amount of tax</u>	Total amount of tax Dollars Cents

This record indicates that Benjamin E. Wright was born before February 9, 1832.

The 1852 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on May 20:

Dates of receiving lists	Persons (Free males above 16 years of age	Slaves above 16 years of age	White males of 21 years of age
May 20	Benjamin	E. Wright	1		1
Male free negroes be the ages o and 55 year	etween at of 21 of	aves who have tained the age 12 years, and owards	Horses Mules, Asse & Jennets No. Value 1 50		<u>Carriages</u>
Stage Coa	nches Jers Value No.	sey Wagons Ca	[Continued] arryalls Bu o. Value No	ggies <u>Gig</u> . Value No.	S Value
<u>Gold</u> No. Valu	/atches <u>Metalli</u> eNoV			Pian Pian <u>and</u> Value No.	os <u>Harps</u> <u>Plate</u> <u>Value</u> <u>Value</u>
Household and Kitche Furniture \	en pe	her articles of rsonal property r aced in this list V	not secui	unt of solvent b ities to, afte from amount b	r deducting
of the real	estate) inv cturing or ot	than the value ested or used in her unlicensed ept agriculture	bonds or ce state or cou	profits over \$ rtificates of this ntry, or of any ed by this or ar	s or any other public corpor-
Amount of in money of from salary allowances	over \$100 y, fees,	Excess over \$1 of yearly rent o value of toll-briand ferries	r annual A dges sł	mount of exem neep and hogs roperty in lieu t	.

	deducting	of values after exemptions in the last column	Amount of tax	Amount of tax for county purposes	Remarks - Especially <u>Freeho</u>	
	The 1853 F	Personal Property	Tax List for	Appomattox Co	untv. Viraini	a. listed
Benja		ht with the followin		• •	3 , 3	,
	Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male pers above the age 16 years	of attair	es who have ned the age s years
	May 14	Benjamin E Wrigl	ht	1		
	have attain years, exce	e inhabitants who led the age of 21 lept those exempted on on account of mity		3	e attained rage of 12	Horses mules, asses and jennets No. Value
	Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value		wagons,		<u>Clocks</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u>	Pianos and Harps No. Value
	All gold an plate and j Valu	ewelry kitchen fo	ehold and urniture <u>Value</u>	Aggregate ar all monies, so securities and	olvent bonds	•

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

Aggregate	Amount of all	Amount of	Amount of interest or profit from
of values	fees of effects	income	public bonds or certificates of debt

62.00

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects **Amount** of tax for county

purposes Remarks

.59

The 1854 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on March 1:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male persons above the age of 16 years	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years
March 1	Benjamin E Wright	1	

White male inhabitants who
have attained the age of 21
years, except those exempted
from taxation on account of
bodily infirmity

Male free negroes	Slaves who	Horses
between the ages	have attained	mules, asses
of 21 and 55	the age of 12	and jennets
years	years	No. Value

1

Cattle,	Pleasure carriages, stage			
sheep	coaches, jersey wagons,			Pianos
and hogs	carryalls, gigs and buggies	<u>Watches</u>	<u>Clocks</u>	and Harps
No. Value	No. <u>Value</u>	No. Value	No. Value	No. Value

2 15

All gold and silver All household and Aggregate amount of plate and jewelry kitchen furniture all monies, solvent bonds, Value No. Value securities and liquidated claims Amount of moneys, bonds or other Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner for which no license is required The capital of all incorporated joint stock Aggregate value of companies other than banks of circulation the personal property and internal improvement companies, and and the am't of moneys, of all insurance companies and savings bonds or claims of internal institutions, which declare no dividends or profits improvement companies All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted Amount by the 3d and other sections of the act of all fees Aggregate Amount of imposing taxes of values of office income .65 Amount of interest or Amount of dividends declared Yearly rent profit from public bonds by insurance companies and or value of tollor certificates of debt savings institutions bridges and ferries Amount of tax on all Amount of tax for person and subjects county purposes Remarks .53 The 1855 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on February 15: Date of Free male persons Slaves who have above the age of receiving Persons Chargeattained the age able With Tax lists 16 years of 16 years

1

Feby 15

Benjamin E Wright

White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity		21 I pted I of o	of 21 and 55		Slaves who have attained the age of 12 years			s , asses <u>ennets</u> <u>Value</u>
	1							
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure car coaches, jer carryalls, gig No.	sey wag	gons,	<u>Watches</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Val</u>		ocks . Value 2		ios <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>
All gold and splate and jew Value		useholo en furnit <u>V</u>		Aggrega all monie securities	es, solve	ent bond	•	<u>s</u>
manufacturir	sted or used in ng, or mining l license is req	busines	s ev	mount of vidences of any cour	of debt i	under th	e cont	rol
companies of all insuran	of all incorpora other than bar improvement nce companie which declare	nks of ci compar s and sa	rculation nies, and avings	<u>profits</u>	the per and the bonds	gate valorsonal pe am't o or claim	roperty of mone of in	eys, ternal
not embrace	cles of persored in this list, red other sections	nor exer	npted	Aggrega of values	te of	nount all fees office	Amo inco	ount of me_
Amount of in profit from puor certificates	ublic bonds	by ins		lends dec ompanies ons			rent ue of to	

Amount of tax on all person and subjects Amount of tax for

county purposes

.56

The birth record of Sydney Wright, son of Benjamin E. and Mary F. Wright, was dated on April 16, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Sydney Wright

Date of Birth:

April 16, 1855

Color:

White

Sex:

Male

Born:

Alive

Place of Birth:

Appomattox

Father's Name:

Benjamin E Wright

Father's Occupation: Father's Residence:

Farmer

Mother's Name:

Appomattox Mary F Wright

No. at Birth:

Informant:

B E Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

The 1856 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on March 15:

Date of receiving

lists

Persons Charge-

Free male persons above the age of

Remarks

Slaves who have attained the age

of 16 years

able With Tax 16 years

Benjamin E Wright March 15

1

White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity

Male free negroes Slaves who between the ages have attained mules, asses of 21 and 55

years

the age of 12 and jennets vears

Horses Value No.

1

Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriages, stage coaches, jersey wagons, carryalls, gigs and buggies No. Value	<u>Watches</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u>	<u>Clocks</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u>	Pianos and Harps No. Value
All gold and plate and jeven Value	welry kitchen furniture	•	mount of solvent bonds	•
manufacturir	ng, or mining business	Amount of more evidences of do not not not not not not not not not no	ebt under the	control
companies of and internal of all insurar	of all incorporated joint stock other than banks of circulatio improvement companies, and companies and savings which declare no dividends of	n the an an	gregate value e personal produced d the am't of nds or claims provement co	operty moneys, s of internal
not embrace	cles of personal property ed in this list, nor exempted ed other sections of the act ees	Aggregate of values 67.00	Amount of all fees of office	Amount of income
Amount of in profit from profit or certificate	ublic bonds by insurance	ridends declare companies and utions	d or value	rent e of toll- and ferries
Amount of ta				

1.07

The 1857 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on February 20:

Date of receiving Persons Charge- lists able With Tax	Free male perso above the age o 16 years	
Feby 20 Benjamin E Wright	1	
White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity	Male free negroes Slave between the ages have of 21 and 55 the a years	attained mules, asses ge of 12 and jennets
Cattle, Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey wand hogs carryalls, gigs and No. 5 20	agons, <u>buggies Watches</u> (Pianos <u>Clocks</u> <u>and Harps</u> <u>No. Value</u> 1 2
All gold and silver All househousehousehousehousehousehousehouse	niture all monies, sol	
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining busine for which no license is required	ess evidences of deb	ys, bonds or other ot under the control eiver or commissioner
The capital of all incorporated joint companies other than banks of and internal improvement comport all insurance companies and institutions, which declare no di	circulation the panies, and and savings bond	regate value of personal property the am't of moneys, is or claims of internal ovement companies

All other articles of personal property
not embraced in this list, nor exempted
by the 3d and other sections of the act
imposing taxes

Amount
Aggregate of all fees Amount of of values of office income

42

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

.96

The 1858 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on February 2:

			<u>Tithab</u>	les
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male above the <u>16 years</u>	•	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years
Feby 2	Benjamin E Wright	1		
have attair years, exc	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted ion on account of mity	Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		ned mules, asses

1

Cattle,	Pleasure carriages, sta	ige		
sheep	coaches, jersey wagon	S,		Pianos
and hogs	carryalls, gigs and bugg	gies <u>Watches</u>	Clocks	and Harps
No. Value	No. V	alue <u>No. Value</u>	No. Value	No. Value

4 20

1 1

All gold and silver plate and jewelry Value	All household and kitchen furniture Value	Aggregate amor all monies, solve securities and lie	ent bonds,
Capital invested or manufacturing, or n for which no license	nining business	Amount of moneys evidences of debt of any court, received	· ·
companies other the and internal improve of all insurance con	corporated joint stock an banks of circulatio ement companies, ar npanies and savings leclare no dividends o	on the pe nd and th bonds	gate value of ersonal property se am't of moneys, s or claims of internal evement companies
All other articles of not embraced in thi by the 3d and other imposing taxes	s list, nor exempted	Aggregate of	mount all fees Amount of office income
Amount of interest of profit from public boot or certificates of de	onds by insurance	vidends declared companies and utions	Yearly rent or value of toll- bridges and ferries
Amount of tax on alperson and subject			
2.21			
The 1859 Personal enjamin E. Wright with th	Property Tax List for ne following househol	• •	ty, Virginia, listed

		Titha	bles
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male persons above the age of 16 years	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years

Feby 5 Benjamin E Wright 1

1035.

White male inhabitants when have attained the age of 2 years, except those exemple from taxation on account a bodily infirmity	21 Male free negroe pted between the age	s have attained r the age of 12 <u>a</u>	Horses nules, asses and jennets No. <u>Value</u>
1			
sheep coaches, jers and hogs carryalls, gig No. Value No.	rriages, stage sey wagons, <u>us and buggies</u> <u>Watch</u> <u>Value</u> <u>No.</u> V	alue No. Value	Pianos and Harps No. Value
11 48		1 1	
plate and jewelry kitche	en furniture all mor	gate amount of nies, solvent bonds <u>ies and liquidated o</u>	-
Capital invested or used in manufacturing, or mining lead of the formula of the f	business evidence	of moneys, bonds on the soft debt under the surt, receiver or con	control
The capital of all incorporate companies other than ban and internal improvement of all insurance companies institutions, which declare	nks of circulation companies, and s and savings	Aggregate value the personal proand the am't of bonds or claims improvement co	operty moneys, s of internal
All other articles of person not embraced in this list, r by the 3d and other section imposing taxes	nor exempted	es of office	Amount of income
Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt	Amount of dividends do by insurance companies savings institutions	es and or value	

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

2.11

The 1860 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on February 6:

				Tithab	oles	
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male above the 16 years	•	Slaves who attained the of 16 years	e age
11515	able Willi Tax		10 years		or to years	<u> </u>
Feby 6	Benjamin E Wright		1			
have attain years, exce	e inhabitants who led the age of 21 lept those exempted on on account of mity		ee negroes n the ages nd 55		ned mules,	asses
	1					
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey was carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,	Watches	_		os <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>
3 30			1 6	6		
All gold and plate and je	ewelry kitchen furni	<u>ture</u>	Sheep and hogs No. Value	monies, s	e amount of olvent bond d liquidated	s, sec-
manufactu	ested or used in any ring, or mining busine o license is required	ess	evidences	of debt unc	onds or othe der the contr or commiss	ol

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Amou Aggregate of all of values of offi

Amount of all fees Amount of of office income

66

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Total amount of bonds issued by the State of Virginia held 1st February 1860. This column is only to obtain information

Remarks

1.86

The 1860 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright and William W. Wright with the following property:

Estate whether held No. of Name Of Owner Residence in Fee simple, life &c Acres

Benjamin E Wright Resident Fee & Wm W Wright

Value of Sum added Description of the Distance land as to waterland per and bearing to the land from the acre, includ-Name courses mountains on account of tract and contiguous tracts courthouse ing buildings of buildings

all the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land owned by Helenner Wright All the interest of Richard T Wright in the same tract

Total value	Amount of tax on	Amount of tax	Explanation of alterations dur-
of the land	the whole tract,	for county	ing the preceding year, espe-
and buildings	at the legal rate	purposes	cially from whom transferred

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on August 21, 1860:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Color</u>	Occupation	Value of <u>Estate</u>
Benjamine E. Wright Mary F. Wright Luther W. Wright John W. Wright Charles H. Wright Benjamine W. Wright	34 29 8 6 5	M F M M		Farmer Wife	\$600
Mary Smith	18	F		Housekeeper	
Wm. P. Wright	58	M		Retired farmer	

Number of <u>Slaves</u>	Place of Birth
	Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia
	Number of Slaves

This record indicates that Benjamin E. Wright was born in about 1836 and suggests strongly that William P. Wright was his father.

The 1861 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on February 25:

	White males, male free negroes and slaves, ascertained for state taxes			
	Number of white Number of male inhabitants free negro			
	who have attained	above the age of		
Names of Persons	the age of 21 years,	21 years, taxed		

	Charged W	ith Taxes	<u>t</u>	axed at 80 cen	<u>ts</u>	at 80 cents	
Feb 25th	Benjamin	E Wright		1			
White males and slaves, a taxes for state	ascertained f	or state	rate o	erty and capita of forty cents o	n every	hundred	
Number of m free negroes above the ac of 21 years taxed at \$1	of both ge have at	r of slaves sexes who tained the 12 years, t \$1.20	asse: jenne	es, mules, s and ets, with their oer and value Value	coach wago gigs a	ure carriage nes, jersey ns, carryalls and buggies umber and v <u>V</u>	, with
Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd] Cattle Sheep Hogs Watches Clocks No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value							
3 30							9
Property and dollar value	•	ed at the unit	form ra	ate of forty cen	ts on e	very hundre	t
Pianos and Harps	Value of all gold and silver plate plated ware and jewelry	Aggregate value of all household kitchen furr	and niture	Aggregate am contracts for r solvent bonds claims and creof the state	money o	or other thing ities, liquidat	g, ted
	30						
Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd] Amount of moneys, bonds, contracts, or other evidences of debt, under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or invested, or employed in any trade or business, for which no license is required							

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal companies, which pay taxes on passengers and freight), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends of profits

Aggregate value of the personal property moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, not exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value

61

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income where the taxes are scaled according to amount received

Fees received, and salaries or income, not more than \$250, taxed at half of one per centum Fees received, and salaries or income which are more than \$250, and not more than \$500, taxed at one per centum Fees received, and salaries or income, which are more than \$500 and not more than \$100 taxed at 1½ per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income over \$1000, taxed at 2 per centum

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges

Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of this or any other state, or whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia) and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend taxed and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent or annual value of toll Total bridges amount or ferries. of state taxed at taxes on 6 per centum all subjects

1.05

For county levy

Number of Male free white males negroes Slaves of above above both sexes the age over 16 the age of 16 years of 16 years years of age Code of Virginia

Amount levied on slaves, land and other property, assessed with state taxes. being __ per cent, on such taxes, levied according to the 33d chapter of the

Total levy persons and property

The 1861 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright and William W. Wright with the following property:

Name of the Person by himself or by his tenant has the freehold in possession of the land charged Residence of the owner of the tract of land

Nature of the owner's estate whether held in fee or for life

No. of acres in said tract

Benj & William W. Wright Same

Resident

fee

	Distance	Total	The sum in
Name of the tract and	and bearing	value of	cluded in the
description of the land,	from the	the land	value of each
as to watercourses,	court house	per acre	tract of land
mountains or other places	Bearing from	including	on account
on or near which it lies	<u>C.H.</u> Miles	<u>buildings</u>	of buildings

all the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land owned by Helena Wright all the interest of Richd T Wright in same tract

Total value of the land and	The amount of tax on the whole tract, at forty cents on	Explanation of alterations during the preceding year, especially from whom transferred, and when and how the owner derived the land, and why, and upon
<u>buildings</u>	every \$100 value	what authority any alteration was made

The 1862 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household:

	White males and free negroes, a	ascertained state taxes
	Number of white male	Number of male free
Names of Persons	inhabitants who have	negroes above the
Charged With Taxes	attained the age of 21 years	age of 21 years

Benjamin E Wright 1

		Propert	<u>ry and capita</u>	<u>al taxed at a u</u>	<u>niform rate</u>		
Numb	er and	Horses,	mules	Pleasure ca	rriages,		
value	of slaves	asses a	nd jennets	coaches, jer	rsey wagons,		
of all	ages and	with the	ir number	carryalls, giç	gs and buggies		
both s	sexes	and valu	ue	with their nu	mber and value	<u>C</u>	attle
<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Hogs Watches Clocks Pianos and Harps
No. Value No. Value No. Value

2

30

3 10 1 5

Sheep

No. Value

Value of all gold and silver plate plated ware jewelry

Aggregate value of all household and kitchen furniture

Aggregate amount of all moneys, contracts for money or other thing, solvent bonds, securities, liquidated claims, and credits, whether in or out of the state

Amount of moneys, bonds, contracts. or other evidences of debt, under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

30

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or inno license is required

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal vested, or employed in any companies, which pay taxes on passengers and trade or business, for which frieght), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions which declare no dividends of profits

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies, except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

10

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value Fees of office received, and salaries or other income - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

85

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll

bridges [Cont'd]		
Amount of dividends declared by banks	Yearly rent	
and savings banks or institutions (not	or annual value	
incorporated by the state of Virginia), and	of toll bridges	Total amount
to be charged to the person receiving the	or ferries, taxed	of state taxes
dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum	at 6 per centum	on all subjects

1.71

tract of land

on account

of buildings

For county levy				
Amount levied on slaves, land				ł
Number	Male free	Slaves	and other property assessed	
of white	negroes	of both	with state taxes being _ per	Total levy
males above	above	sexes over	cent on such taxes, levied	on persons
the age of	the age of	16 years	according to the 53d chap-	and
<u>of 16 years</u>	<u>16 years</u>	of age	ter of the Code of Virginia	property

1

as to watercourses,

mountains or other places

on or near which it lies

The 1862 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright and William W. Wright with the following property:

Name of the Person by himself or by his tenant has the freehold in possession of the land charged	Residence of the owner of the tract of land	Nature of the owner's estate whether held in fee or for life	No. of acres in said <u>tract</u>
Benjamin E & William W Wright ditto	Resident "	fee "	
Name of the tract and description of the land,	Distance and bea from the	ring value of	The sum in- cluded in the value of each

court house

Bearing from

C.H. Miles

per acre

including

<u>buildings</u>

all the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land formerly owned by Helena Wright all the interest of Richard T Wright on the same estate Total value of the land and buildings

The amount of tax on the whole tract, at forty cents on every \$100 value

Explanation of alterations during the preceding year, especially from whom transferred, and when and how the owner derived the land, and why, and upon what authority any alteration was made

The birth record of Martha H. Wright, daughter of Benjamin E. and Mary Wright, was dated in September 1862 at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Martha H Wright

Date of Birth:

September 1862

Color:

White

Sex: Born: Female Alive

Place of Birth: Father's Name:

Appomattox Benj E Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Appomattox

Mother's Name:

Mary Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Informant:

Wm. W Wright

Relation of Informant:

Uncle

The 1863 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household:

White males and free negroes, ascertained state taxes

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No.

Number of white male inhabitants who have

Number of male free negroes above the

Names of Persons Charged With Taxes

attained the age of 21 years

age of 21 years

Benjamin E. Wright

1

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate

Number and value of slaves of all ages and both sexes

Value

No.

Horses, mules asses and jennets with their number and value

Value

Pleasure carriages, coaches, jersey wagons, carryalls, gigs and buggies

with their number and value
No.

Value

Cattle
No. Value

2 60

Property and ca	pital taxed at a	a uniform rate	[Cont'd]

Sheep	Hogs	Watches	Clocks	Pianos and Harps
No. Value	No. <u>Value</u>	No. Value	No. Value	No. <u>Value</u>

15 1

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

		00 0	Amount of moneys,
Value of value	alue of r	moneys, contracts for	bonds, contracts,
all gold al	ll house- r	money or other thing, sol-	or other evidences of
and silver he	old and \	vent bonds, securities, liqui-	debt, under the control
plate plated ki	itchen d	dated claims, and credits,	of any court, receiver
<u>ware jewelry</u> <u>fu</u>	<u>ırniture</u> <u>v</u>	whether in or out of the state	or commissioner

40

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or inno license is required

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal vested, or employed in any companies, which pay taxes on passengers and trade or business, for which frieght), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions which declare no dividends of profits

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies, except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

Property and capital taxed at a uniform	ì
rate [Cont'd]	

Total value of all property general head

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income taxed under this - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state

115

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll

bridges [Cont'd]

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia), and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum Yearly rent or annual value of toll bridges or ferries, taxed of state taxes at 6 per centum on all subjects

Total amount

3.15

For county levy

Male free	Slaves
negroes	of both
above	sexes over
the age of	16 years
16 years	of age
	negroes above the age of

Amount levied on slaves, land and other property assessed with state taxes being per cent on such taxes, levied according to the 53d chapter of the Code of Virginia

Total levy on persons and property

1

The 1863 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright and William W. Wright with the following property:

Name of the Person by
himself or by his tenant
has the freehold in pos-
session of the land charged

Residence of the tract of land

Nature of the owner's estate owner of the whether held in fee or for life

No. of acres in said tract

Benj E & Wm W Wright

Resident

Fee

ditto

Distance Total The sum in-Name of the tract and and bearing value of cluded in the from the description of the land, the land value of each as to watercourses, court house tract of land per acre mountains or other places Bearing from including on account on or near which it lies C.H. Miles buildings of buildings

All the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land formerly owned by Helena Wright All the int. of Richd T Wright on the same land

Total value The amount of tax of the on the whole tract, at forty cents on every \$100 value

Explanation of alterations during the preceding year, especially from whom transferred, and when and how the owner derived the land, and why, and upon what authority any alteration was made

The birth record of James M. Wright, son of Benjamin E. and Mary F. Wright, was dated on March 22, 1865, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: James M Wright Date of Birth: March 22, 1865

Color: White Sex: Male Born: Alive

Place of Birth: Appomattox Father's Name: Benj E Wright

Father's Occupation: Farmer
Father's Residence: Appomattox
Mother's Name: Mary F Wright

No. at Birth:

Informant: Benj E Wright

Relation of Informant: Father

The birth record of Madison E. Wright, son of Benjamin E. and Mary Wright, was dated on October 14, 1869, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: Madison E. Wright Date of Birth: October 14, 1869

Color: White
Sex: Male
Born: Alive
Place: Amherst

Father's Name: Benj. E. Wright Father's Occupation: Mechanic

Father's Residence: Amherst Mother's Name: Mary No. at Birth: 1

Informant: Father"

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Benjamin W. Wright with the following household on August 31, 1870:

Value of

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	<u>Occupa</u>	tion	Real Estate
Benjamin W Mary Wright Luther W W John Wright Charles Wrig Walter Wrigh Mattie Wrigh James Wrigh Mary B Wrigh Edward Wrigh Susan Damin Benjamin Phoseph Phe	right ght ht ht ght ght ght non	40 35 19 17 15 18 8 6 3 1 15 20 18	M F M M F M F M M	W W W W W W W W W	Laborer K. Hous Laborer Farm H Farm H At Hom Farm H Farm H	se Canal and and and e and	
Value of Personal <u>Property</u>	Place of Birth Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia		Marrie Withii <u>Year</u>	n	Born Within <u>Year</u>	Attended School Within Year	Cannot Read 1 1 1 1 1
	Virginia Virginia Virginia						1 1 1

Cannot <u>Write</u>	Deaf Dumb Blind Insane or Idiot	Male Citizen Over 21	Male Citizen Over 21 Without Right to Vote
1 1 1 1 1		1	
1 1 1			

This record indicates that Benjamin Edward Wright was born in about 1830 and that Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright was born in about 1835.

On August 5,1879, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. MM/2 B. E. Wright executed a deed of trust as to his cow and tobacco crop to W. Dillard, Jr., to secure debts due to John J. Dillard and to Burk Brothers Company:

"This deed made and entered into this 5th day of August in the year 1879 between B E Wright of the County of Amherst State of Virginia of the first part and W Dillard Jr of said County and State of Virginia of the second part Witnesseth; that in consideration of the sum of one dollar to me in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and the further consideration of securing to Jno J Dillard the payment of the amount both principal and interest, which I owe him on rents, which accrued prior to January 1 1879 and the rent, which I owe him for the present year, the gross amount of which, upon accounting with Said J. J Dillard I will make known to said W Dillard Jr. and the further consideration of securing to Burk Bros & Co. the payment, with interest of my due bill to them bearing date February 2 1875 for seven dollars and fifty cents I the said B. E. Wright do hereby give, grant, bargain Sell and transfer unto the said W Dillard Jr one red cow, with a white back about 8 years old and called Lilly and my entire interest in the growing crop of tobacco, which myself and my son Charles are cultivating this year on the farm of Mrs M E Dillard, my said interest, being one half of said crop In Trust Nevertheless to Secure the payment of the said rents to said J J Dillard and the Said due bill to said Burk Bros & Co and to the intent and purpose, that if the whole amount due on said rents and on said due bill be not paid on or before the first day of February 1880 then it shall the duty of said W Dillard Jr, upon the request of either said J J Dillard or said Burk Bros & Co to sell said cow, after ten days notice by written notices posted

at three places in the neighbourhood and to take possession of and ship the whole of my interest in said crop of tobacco to Lynchburg and then have it Sold, in one of the ware houses and to apply the proceeds of sale of said cow after deducting costs towards the payment pro tanto of my indebtedness to said J. J. Dillard and to apply the proceeds arising from the sale of said tobacco, after deducting all costs to the payment of the balance which may be owing said J J Dillard and to the payment in full of said debt to Burk Bros & Co and the balance, if any, there be pay to be paid to me, and in the event that the nett amount realized from the sale of said tobacco be not enough to pay in full what may be due to said J. J. Dillard and Burk Bros & Co, their Said nett amount is to be applied rateably to each debt I furthermore obligate and bind myself, to continue properly the cultivation of said tobacco to cut and cure it nicely and within the prescribed time to put in marketable condition

Witness my hand and seal this day and year first above written

B E Wright

State of Virginia County of Amherst

I William Dillard Jr a Notary Public for the County aforsaid do certify that B. E. Wright whose name is signed to the writing above, bearing date Aug 5th 1879 has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid Given under my hand this 5th day of Aug 1879

William Dillard Jr Notary Public

In the Clerks Office of Amherst County Court November 29th 1879

This deed of Trust was this day received in said office and together with the certificate of acknowledgment of B E Wright the party thereto admitted to record

Teste Ch L Ellis Clerk"

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Benjamin E. Wright with the following household on June 2, 1880:

<u>Name</u>		Cole	<u>or</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	Month of Birt		Relationship
Benj E. Wr Mary Wrigh Charles Wrigh Walter Wrigh Mattie Wrigh James Wrigh Mary E Wr Edward Wrigh Frank Wrigh	nt right ght ght ght ight right	W W W W W W		M F M F M F M	55 48 24 20 17 15 12 9 7			Wife son son daughter son daughter son son
Marital <u>Status</u>	Married During <u>Year</u>	<u>Occup</u>	ation	<u>!</u>	Uı	onths nem- oyed	Deaf	ness Blind & Dumb c Disabled
M M S S S S S S S		Farme Keeps Works Works	hous in _ on fa	arm				
Attended S Within Yea		Cannot <u>Read</u>	Cai Wr	nnot ite_	Born		ather Born	Mother <u>Born</u>
1 1 1					Virgini Virgini Virgini Virgini Virgini Virgini Virgini Virgini	a V a V a V a V a V	/a /a /a /a /a /a /a	Va Va Va Va Va Va Va Va

This record indicates that Benjamin Edward Wright was born in about 1825 and that Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright was born in about 1832.

The death record of Benjamin E. Wright was dated on August 3, 1880, at Amherst County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the decedent:

"Place of Death: Amherst County, Virginia

Line Number: 106

Name of Deceased: Benjamin E. Wright

Race: White Sex: Male Age: 53

Date of Death: August 3, 1880
Place: Amherst County

Cause of Death: Paralysis

Name of Parents: Wm. P. and Helena Wright

Birthplace of Deceased: Amherst Occupation: Farmer

Consort of: Mary F. Wright Name of Informant: Mary F. Wright

Relation of Informant: Wife

Commissioner of the Revenue: E. S. Ware Date Record Filed: June 1881"

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Mary Wright in the Edward Wright household:

		Location		
ln (Cities House Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
		134	134	Edward Wright Mary F. Wright Ellen Abbot

Relation	Personal Description						
Relationship of each per- son the head the family	Color or race	olor <u>Dat</u>		Birth Year	Age at last <u>birthday</u>	Whether single, married, widowed, or or divorced	
Head Mother Servant	W W W	M F F	Nov July Mar	1869 1831 1860	30 68 40	S Wd S	

Perso	nal Descriptio	n [cont'd]		Nativity			
	- -		Place of birth of each person				
			and parent	ts of each perso	n enumerated.		
		Number		Place of	Place of		
Number	Mother of	of these	Place of	birth of	birth of		
of years	how many	children	birth of	Father of	Mother of		
married	<u>children</u>	<u>living</u>	this Persor	n this person	this person		
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
10	9		Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
	Citizenship		Occupation, Trade,				
Year of	Number		Or Profession	,	Education		
immi-	of years		of each perso	n Ten			
gration to	in the		Years of age	and over.	Attended		
the United	d United	Natural-		Months not	school in		
States	<u>States</u>	<u>ization</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	employed	months)		
			Iron Molder	0			

Education [cont'd]			Ownership Of Home				
Can <u>read</u>	Can <u>write</u>	Can speak English		Owned free or mortgaged		Number of fam schedule	
Yes	Yes	Yes	R		Н		
Yes	Yes	Yes					
Yes	No	Yes					

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the handwriting on a portrait of Benjamin Edward Wright dated in about 1865 stated "Born in Amherst Co", that he served as a corporal in Captain Kyle's Company of Virginia Heavy Artillery in the Civil War, was transferred to Company D, 19th Battalion of Virginia Heavy Artillery, operated canal boats from Lynchburg to Appomattox, had his boat destroyed in a freshet in 1876, purchased another boat which was also shortly destroyed, and shortly thereafter died of a stroke.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which also stated that the obituary of Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright was published on June 23, 1910, in The News, Lynchburg, Virginia, and stated as follows:

"Mrs. Mary F. Wright died at the home of her daughter on Madison Heights yesterday morning at eight o'clock at the age of 79. Mrs. Wright was the widow of the late Mr. Ben E. Wright, and had been a resident of Madison Heights for twenty-three years. She was born in Appomattox county. She is survived by the following children: [Ben] Walter Wright of Madison; John Wright of Riverville; James M., Charles W., F. B. Wright, E. M. Wright, Mrs. Mollie Stephens and Mrs. [R] B. [B] W. Wright of Madison, and a sister Miss Amanda Phelps, of this city. She had been a life-long member of the Methodist Church."

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which also stated that Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright's granddaughter Myrtle Wright stated that her "Grandma" had a quick wit and was funny as a crutch, was a short, rather small woman who parted her hair down the middle and combed it down slick and braided the ends, and was an excellent seamstress, and was buried in Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia.

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that Benjamin Edward Wright was born about 1830 at Amherst County, Virginia, married Mary Francis (_____) Wright in about 1852, resided in 1860 at Appomattox County, Virginia, resided in 1870 and 1880 at Amherst County, Virginia, and died after 1880 and before 1900, that Mary Francis (_____) Wright was born in July 1835 at Virginia, resided in 1860 at Appomattox County, Virginia, resided in 1870, 1880, 1900, and 1910 at Amherst County, Virginia, and died after 1909, and that Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Luther Warren Wright, born in June 1851 at Nelson County, Virginia,
- 2) John Wright, born about 1853 or 1854 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 3) Charles W. Wright, born in May 1856 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 4) Benjamin Walter Wright, born in April 1860 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
 - 5) Ellen Wright, born in March 1860,
- 6) Martha "Mattie" (Wright) Wright, born about 1862 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
 - 7) James M. Wright, born in March 1864 at Appomattox County, Virginia,

- 8) Mary "Mollie" Elizabeth (Wright) Stevens, born about 1864 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 9) Edward M. Wright, born in November 1869 at Appomattox County, Virginia, and
 - 10) Frank B. Wright, born in June 1872 at Appomattox County, Virginia.

In his email dated October 26, 2004, James Wayne Wright stated that Benjamin Edward Wright was a son of William P. Wright and Helena (_____) Wright, was born in 1825, married Mary Frances Rogers, and died on August 3, 1880, that Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright was born on July 13, 1832, died on June 22, 1910, and was buried at Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia, and that Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright had the following child:

1) Frank Boggs Wright, born on June 27, 1872.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that Benjamin Edward Wright was a son of William P. Wright and Helena (_____) Wright, was born in 1825 at Amherst County, Virginia, married Mary Frances Rogers, and died on August 3, 1880, at Amherst County, Virginia, that Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright was born on July 13, 1832, at Appomattox County, Virginia, died on June 22, 1910, at Amherst County, Virginia, and was buried at Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia, and that Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Luther Warren Wright, born on June 23, 1851,
- 2) John W. Wright, born on August 7, 1853, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 3) Sidney Wright, born on April 16, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 4) Charles Wesley Wright, born on May 18, 1856, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 5) Benjamin Walter Wright, born on October 3, 1859, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
 - 6) Ellen Wright, born in March 1860,
- 7) Martha Helena Wright, born on October 14, 1862, at Appomattox County, Virginia,

- 8) James Monroe Wright, born on March 23, 1865, at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 9) Mary Elizabeth Wright, born on June 14, 1868, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 10) Edward Madison Wright, born on November 25, 1869, at Appomattox County, Virginia, and
- 11) Frank Boggs Wright, born on June 217, 1872, at Appomattox County, Virginia.

From the evidence set forth above and additional evidence set forth below, the children of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright were the following:

- 1) Luther Warren Wright, born on June 23, 1851 at Nelson County or Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 2) John W. Wright, born on January 10, 1853, or in March 1853 or on August 7, 1853, or in 1854 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
 - 3) Sidney Wright, born on April 16, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 4) Charles Wesley Wright, born on May 18, 1856, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 5) Benjamin Walter Wright, born in about 1858 or on October 3, 1859, or in April 1860 at Appomattox County, Virginia,
 - 6) Ellen Wright, born in March 1860,
- 7) Martha Helena (Wright) Wright, born in September 1862 or on October 14, 1862, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 8) James Monroe Wright, born on March 22 or 23, 1865, at Amherst County or Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 9) Mary Elizabeth (Wright) Stevens or Stephens, born in about 1864 or 1867 or on June 14, 1868, at Appomattox County, Virginia,
- 10) Edward Madison Wright, born on October 14, 1869, or on November 25,1869, at Amherst County or Appomattox County, Virginia, and

- 11) Frank Boggs Wright, born on June 27, 1872, at Appomattox County or Amherst County, Virginia.
 - i. 1909 Luther Warren Wright Of Lynchburg, His Wife
 Henrietta "Henny" E. (Wright) Wright, And His
 Descendants

1909 Luther Warren Wright of Lynchburg was a son of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Luther W. Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on August 21, 1860, and his age as 8 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1852.

The 1860 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Henrietter Wright in the Alex Wright household and her age as 2 and born in Nelson County, indicating a date of birth in about 1858.

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Luther W. Wright in the Benjamin W. Wright household on August 31, 1870, and his age as 19 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1851, and his occupation as laborer on canal.

The 1870 Census for Nelson County, Virginia, listed Henrietta Wright in the Alex: Wright household and her age as 12 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1858.

The marriage record of Luther Warren Wright and Hennie Wright was dated on December 21, 1876, at Nelson County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"to M Hill Clerk of Nelson Co Va Is hereby authorised to Ishue Marriage Licens to Luther WRight to Marry My Daughter Hennie Wright - Given from under My hand this 19th of December 1876

Attest Sallie J. Wood B. C. Margginson Alexander Wright

W. M. Hill Esqr

Dear Sir

Mr L Wright expected one of My Sons to have gone with him Neither are at Home I drop you this to say all is correct - and to ask you to Ishue the Licens Miss Wrights age is 17 years. Yours Very truly Dcr 19th 1876

B. C. Megginson

Virginia Nelson County to wit
To any Person licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony according to the rites and Ceremonies of your Church, or Religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia Luther W Wright and Miss Hennie Wright Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Nelson this 19th Decr 1876

W. M. Hill Clerk

Time of Marriage, Decr 21st 1876
Place of Marriage, Nelson Co.
Full Names of Parties Married, Luther Warren and Hennie Color, White
Age of Hus, 25 Years 6 Mos
Age of Wife, 17 Years
Condition of Hus (wid or sing), Single
Condition of Wife (wid or sing), Single
Place of Hus birth, Appomattox Co
Place of Wife birth, Amherst Co
Place of Hus Residence, Amherst Co
Place of Wife Residence, Nelson Co
Names of Hus parents, Benj E and Mary F.
Names of Wife Parents, Alexa. and Caroline J.
Occupation of Husband, Farmer

Given under my hand this 19 Decr 1876

W M Hill Clerk

I Certify that on the 21st day of Decm 1876 at Bent Creek, Nelson Co. I united in Marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

Edmund Withers"

The birth record of Claudius W. Wright, son of L. W. and Henrietta Wright, was dated on February 9, 1878, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Claudius W Wright

Date of Birth:

February 9, 1878

Color:

White

Sex: Born: Male Alive

Place of Birth:

the fathers House

Father's Name:

L W Wright

Father's Residence:

Appomattox County

Father's Occupation:

Relation of Informant:

Farmer

Mother's Name:

Henrietta Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Informant:

L W W father

The birth record of Lennah H. Wright, daughter of Luther W. and Henrietta Wright, was dated on May 13, 1879, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Lennah E. Wright

Date of Birth:

May 13, 1879

Color:

White

Sex:

Female

Born:

Alive

Place of Birth:

Appomattox

Father's Name:

Luther W Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Appomattox

Mother's Name:

Henrietta Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Deformity:

Natural

Informant:

L W Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

The 1880 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Luther Wright with the following household on June 3 & 4, 1880:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Color</u>	Sex	Age	Month of Birth	of 	Relationship
Luther Wright Henrietta Wright Claude Wright Lennie Wright		W W W	N F N M		2 Daught	er	Wife Son
Marital <u>Status</u>	Married During <u>Year</u>	<u>Occupatio</u>	<u>n</u>	į	Months Jnem- oloyed	Deat	ness Blind f & Dumb ic Disabled
M M S S		Farming Keeping H	louse				
Attended School Within Yea	Cannot r <u>Read</u>	Cannot Write	<u>Born</u>		Father <u>Born</u>		Mother Born
			Virgin Virgin Virgin Virgin	ia ia	Va Va Va Va		Va Va Va Va

This record indicates that Luther Warren Wright was born in about 1853 and that Henrietta E. (Wright) Wright was born in about 1859.

The birth record of Eltna (?) or Ethia Wright, daughter of Luther and Henrietta Wright, was dated in 1881 at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:	Eltna(?) or Ethia Wright
Date of Birth:	1881
Color:	White
Sex:	Female
Born:	Alive
Place of Birth:	Father's Residence
Father's Name:	Luther Wright
Father's Occupation:	Farmer
Father's Residence:	Appomattox Co
Mother's Name:	Henrietta Wright

No. at Birth:

Deformity: Informant:

No Deformity Luther B. Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

The birth record of Eva G. Wright, daughter of Luther and Henrietta Wright, was dated on August 28, 1883, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Eva G Wright

Date of Birth:

August 28, 1883

Color:

White

Sex: Born: Female Alive

Place:

Amherst County

Father's Name:

Luther Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence: Mother's Name:

Amherst County Henrietta Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Deformity:

None

Informant:

Luther Wright

Relation:

Father"

The death record of Carrie F. Wright, daughter of L. W. Wright, was dated on February 23, 1892, at Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Decedent's Name: Carrie F Wright Date of Death: February 23, 1892

Race: White Sex: Female Place: Lynchburg Cause: Pneumonia Age: 8 months

Parents: L W Wright Birthplace: Lynchburg Occupation: None Consort of: Single Informant: Mother Relationship: Mother"

The birth record of L. C. Wright, son of L. W. and H. Wright, was dated on February 26, 1896, at Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Name of Child: L C Wright Date of Birth: February 26, 1896

Color: White

Sex: Male Born: Alive

Place of Birth: City

Father's Name: L W Wright Father's Occ: Car Inspector

Father's Res: City

Mother's Name: H Wright

How many: 1 Deformity: None

Informant: L W Wright"

As will be set forth below, the 1900 Census for Lynchburg indicates that this child was L. Carrington Wright, thereby identifying the parents as Luther Warren Wright and Henrietta (Wright) Wright.

The 1900 Census for Lynchburg, Virginia, listed Luther Wright with the following household:

		Location		
In Cities Street	House Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
	1507	199	290	Luther Wright Henrietta Wright Claude Wright Eva Wright Maud Wright Clarana Wright Jacob Wright Carrington Wright Werdin Wright

<u>Relation</u>	Personal Description									
Relation- ship of each person the head	Color		Date of E	<u>Birth</u>	Age at last birth-	Whether single, married, widowed, or				
the family	or race	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Month</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>day</u>	<u>divorced</u>				
Head	W	M	Jun	1851	49	M				
Wife	W	F	May	1858	42	M				
Daughter	W	F	Mar	1882	18	S				
Daughter	W	F	Aug	1874	15	S				
Daughter	W	F	Sep	1887	12	S				
Daughter	W	F	Aug	1889	10	S				
Son	W	M	Jan	1894	6	S				
Son	W	M	Feb	1897	3	S				
Son	W	M	May	1898	2	S				

Personal D	escription [conf	<u>''d]</u>	Nativity				
			Place of birth of each person and				
			parents of	each person e	numerated.		
				Place of	Place of		
		Number	Place of	birth of	birth of		
Number	Mother of	of these	birth of	Father	Mother		
of years	how many	children	this	of this	of this		
married	<u>children</u>	living	Person	<u>person</u>	person		
23			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
23	10	9	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
20	10	Ü	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia		

Citize	nship		Occupation, Ti	rade,	
Year of	Number		Or Profession		Education
immi-	of		of each persor	n Ten	
gration	years		Years of age a	ind over.	
to the	in the			Months	Attended
United	United	Natural-		not	school in
<u>States</u>	<u>States</u>	<u>ization</u>	Occupation	<u>employed</u>	months)
			Railroad		
			At school		9
			At school		9
			At school		9
			At school		9

Ed	ucation [c	ont'd]		Ownership Of Home				
		Can	Owned	Owned	Farm	Number		
Can	Can	speak	or	free or	or	of farm		
<u>read</u>	<u>write</u>	<u>English</u>	<u>rented</u>	<u>mortgaged</u>	<u>house</u>	<u>schedule</u>		
Yes	Yes	Yes	R		Н			
Yes	Yes	Yes						
Yes	Yes	Yes						
Yes	Yes	Yes						
Yes	Yes	Yes						
Yes	Yes	Yes						
No	No	Yes						

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the tombstone of Luther Warren Wright in Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia, listed the following:

"In memory of My Beloved Husband Luther W. Wright Born June 25, 1851 Died Oct. 1, 1909 A precious one from us is gone [A soul] we loved is stilled A place is vacant in our home That never can be filled. God in his wisdom has recalled The [boon] his love had given; And though the body moulders here The soul is safe in heaven."

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that 1909 Luther Warren Wright of Lynchburg was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright, was born in June 1851 at Nelson County, Virginia, resided in 1860 at Appomattox County, Virginia, resided in 1870 at Amherst County, Virginia, married Henrieta "Henny" E. (_____) Wright on December 19, 1872, at Lovingston, Nelson County, Virginia, resided in 1880 and 1900 at Lynchburg, Virginia, resided in 1902 at 1507 Elm, Lynchburg, Virginia, was a car inspector in 1902, died on October 1, 1909, at Lynchburg, Virginia, and was buried at Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia, that Henrieta "Henny" E. (_____) Wright was born in May 1858 at Lovingston, Nelson County, Virginia, died on January 20, 1927, at Lynchburg, Virginia, and was buried at Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia, and that Luther Warren Wright and Henrieta "Henny" E. (_____) Wright had the following children:

- 1) C. W. Wright,
- 2) C. L. Wright,
- 3) L. E. Wright, and
- 4) W. T. Heipstall.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that Luther Warren Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, was born on June 23, 1851, married Henrietta Wright on December 21, 1876, at Nelson County, Virginia, died on October 1, 1909, at Lynchburg, Virginia, and was buried at Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia, that Henrietta (Wright) Wright was born in about 1859, and that Luther Warren Wright and Henrietta (Wright) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Werdna Clark Wright,
- 2) Luther Carrington Wright,
- 3) Claude W. Wright,

- 4) Leonard Eugene Wright, born on July 10, 1879, at Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 5) Ethel F. (Wright) Dalton, born on March 8, 1881, at Lynchburg, Virginia,
- 6) Eva Gertrude (Wright) Mattox, born on August 28, 1884, at Lynchburg, Virginia,
 - 7) Maude A. (Wright) Poindexter, born on September 7, 1887,
 - 8) Clara Lee (Wright) Heptinstall, born on August 20, 1888, and
 - 9) Jacob Manning Wright, born on January 23, 1891.
 - ii. 1913 John W. Wright Of Amherst County, His Wife
 Catherine "Kate" Ann () (Herb) Wright, And His
 Descendants

1913 John W. Wright of Amherst County was a son of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed John W. Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on August 21, 1860, and his age as 6 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1854.

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed John Wright in the Benjamin W. Wright household on August 31, 1870, and his age as 17 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1853, and his occupation as farm hand.

The birth record of Ora F. Wright, daughter of John W. Wright and Catie A. Wright, was dated on March 26, 1874, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Ora F Wright

Date of Birth:

March 26, 1874

Color:

White

Sex:

Female

Born:

Alive

Place:

Amherst Co

Father's Name:

John W Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Amherst Co

Mother's Name:

Catie A Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Informant:

John W Wright

Relation:

Father"

The birth record of Newman E. Wright, son of John Wright and Kate Wright, was dated on December 20, 1876, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Newman E Wright

Date of Birth:

December 20, 1876

Color:

White

Sex:

Male

Born: Place: Alive **Amherst County**

Father's Name:

John Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Amherst County

Mother's Name:

Kate Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Deformity:

None

Informant:

John Wright

Relation:

Father"

As will be set forth below, this child's name was probably Norman E. Wright.

The birth record of Mary E. Wright, daughter of John Wright and Kate E. Wright, was dated on May 20, 1879, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Mary E Wright

Date of Birth:

May 20, 1879

Color:

White

Sex:

Female

Born:

Alive

Place:

Amherst

Father's Occupation:

Father's Name:

John Wright Miner

Amherst

Father's Residence:

Mother's Name:

Kate E Wright

No. at Birth:

Deformity:

None

Informant:

John Wright

Relation:

Father"

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed John W. Wright with the following household on June 2, 1880:

<u>Name</u>		Color	Sex	<u>Age</u>	Month of Birth	Relationship
John W Wright Kate A Wright Ida Herb Ora F. Wright Norman E. Wright Mary E. Wright		W W W W W	W F 38 W F 17 W F 6 W M 3			Wife step daughter daughter son daughter
Marital <u>Status</u>	Married During <u>Year</u>	<u>Occupa</u>	ation		Months Unem- ployed	Sickness Blind Deaf & Dumb Idiotic Disabled
M M S S S		Works Keeps		е		
Attended School Within Year	Cannot Read	Cannot Write]	<u>Born</u>	Father <u>Born</u>	Mother <u>Born</u>
			 	Virginia Maryland Maryland Virginia Virginia Virginia	Va Md Md Va Va Va	Va Md Md Va Va Va

This record indicates that John W. Wright was born in about 1853 and that Catherine A. or N. (____) (Herb) Wright was born in about 1842.

The birth record of Carrie Wright, daughter of John W. Wright and C. Ann Wright, was dated in March 1882 at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Carrie Wright March 1882

Date of Birth: Color:

White

Sex:

Female

Born: Alive

Place: Amherst County Father's Name: John W Wright

Father's Occupation: Minor

Father's Residence: Courthouse District

Mother's Name: C Ann Wright

No. at Birth: 1

Deformity: None

Informant: John W Wright

Relation: Father"

The marriage record of Ora Frances Wright, daughter of John W. Wright and Kate A. Wright, and J. E. Linthecum was dated on December 16, 1891, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Marriage License.

Virginia, Amherst County to wit:

To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, J E. Linthicum and Ora Francis Wright

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Amherst County this 12th day of December 1891

Ch L Ellis, Clerk.

Certificate to Obtain a Marriage License,

Time of Marriage, Decr 16" 1891

Place of Marriage.

Full Names of Parties Married, J E Linthicum and Ora Frances Wright

Color, White

Age of Husband, 24 Years

Age of Wife, 17 Years

Condition of Husband, (widowed or single,) Single

Condition of Wife, (widowed or single,) Single

Place of Husband's Birth, Amherst County

Place of Wife's Birth, Amherst County

Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst County

Place of Wife's Residence, Amherst County

Names of Husband's Parents, Robert and Eliza Linthicum

Names of Wife's Parents, John W. and Kate A Wright Occupation of Husband, Carpenter

Given under my hand this 12th day of December 1891

Ch L. Ellis Clerk.

Minister's Return Of Marriage.

I Certify, That on the 16th day of December 1891, at the Brides Fathers above County I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

W. E. Allen"

The birth record of Ellen Wright, daughter of Jno. E. Wright and Kate Wright, was dated on October 19, 1896, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Ellen Wright

Date of Birth:

October 19, 1896

Color:

White Female

Sex: Place:

Amherst

Father's Name:

Jno E. Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Amherst

Mother's Name:

Kate"

This was possibly the child of John W. Wright and Catherine Ann (_____) (Herb) Wright, but since she does not appear in the John W. Wright household in the 1900 Census, further research will be required to confirm this identification.

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed John W. Wright with the following household on June 27, 1900:

	L	ocation		
In Cities Street	House Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
		286	294	John W. Wright Catherine N Wright Normand E Wright Mary E Wright Carrie L Wright

Relation	Personal Description								
Relation- ship of each person the head the family	Color or race	<u>Sex</u>	Date of E	<u>Birth</u> <u>Year</u>	Age at last birth- day	Whether single, married, widowed, or divorced			
Head	W	М	Mar	1853	47	М			
Wife	W	F	Aug	1839	60	M			
Son	W	M	Nov	1876	23	S			
Daughter	W	F	May	1879	21	S			
Daughter	W	F	Mar	1882	19	S			

Personal Description [cont'd]			Nativity			
			Place of birth of each person and			
			parents of	each person e	enumerated.	
				Place of	Place of	
		Number	Place of	birth of	birth of	
Number	Mother of	of these	birth of	Father	Mother	
of years	how many	children	this	of this	of this	
<u>married</u>	<u>children</u>	living	<u>Person</u>	person	person	
27			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	
27	9	9	Maryland	Maryland	Maryland	
			Virginia	Virginia	Maryland	
			Virginia	Virginia	Maryland	
			Virginia	Virginia	Maryland	

Citizenship			Occupation, Trade,			
Year of	Number		Or Profession		Education	
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gration	years		Years of age and over	Years of age and over.		
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<u>States</u>	<u>States</u>	<u>ization</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>employed</u>	months)	
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			Car inspector on RR	0		
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			Farmer	U		

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Education [cont'd]			Owi			
Can <u>read</u>	Can <u>write</u>	Can speak <u>English</u>	Owned or <u>rented</u>	Owned free or mortgaged	Farm or <u>house</u>	Number of farm schedule
Yes Yes	Yes Yes	Yes Yes	R		Н	
Yes	Yes	Yes	R		F	142
Yes	Yes	Yes	IX		'	142
Yes	Yes	Yes				

The death record of John W. Wright was dated on February 17, 1913, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Certificate of Death File No. 2665

1.	Place of Death	
	County of	Amherst
	District of	Court House
	Town of	
2.	Full Name:	John W. Wright
	Residence in City	_
3.	Sex:	Male
4.	Color or Race:	White
5.	Single Married, Widowed	
	or Divorced:	Married
6.	Date of Birth:	Jan 10, 1853
7.	Age:	60 yrs 1 mos 6 ds
8.	Occupation:	Carpenter

9. Birthplace: Appomattox co
 10. Name of Father: Ben F. Wright
 11. Birthplace of Father: Appomattox
 12. Maiden Name of Mother: Mary. F. Rogers
 13. Birthplace of Mother: Appomattox Co Va

14. The above is true to the best of my knowledge:

Informant:

G. L. Hissan

Address:

Riverville Va

15. Filed

Feb 18, 1913

Local Registrar:

W W Gilbert

16. Date of Death:

Feb. 17, 1913

17. I hereby certify, that I attended deceased from Feb. 8, 1913 to Feb. 16, 1913 that I last saw him alive on Feb 16, 1913 and that death occurred, on the date stated above at 2:30 a.m. The cause of death was as follows:

Valsular heart disease

Duration: 10 ds

Contributory: Acute Indigestion

Duration:

Signed: W. L. Watts M.D.

Feb 17, 1913

Address: Allens Creek Va

- 18. Length of Residence:
- 19. Place of Burial or Removal: Allens Creek Amherst County Date of Burial: Feb 19, 1913
- 20. Undertaker: Frends

Address:

Allens Creek"

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the tombstones of John W. Wright and Kate Wright in Watts Cemetery, Allens Creek, Virginia, read as follows:

"John W. Wright Born March 21, 1853 Died February 12, 1913 Gone but not forgotten"

"Kate A. Hafley wife of J. W. Wright Born Aug. 7, 1839 Died June 20, 1922 At Rest" In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that John Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright, was born about 1853 or 1854 at Appomattox County, Virginia, resided in 1860 at Appomattox County, Virginia, and resided in 1870 at Amherst County, Virginia.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that John W. Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, was born on August 7, 1853, at Appomattox County, Virginia, married Catherine A. (Haifley) Erb, resided in Riverville, Virginia, worked in Gladstone, Virginia, died on February 12, 1913, and was buried at Watts Cemetery, Allens Creek, Virginia, that Catherine A. (Haifley) (Erb) Wright was born on August 7, 1839, at Maryland, married first Uriah Erb on July 25, 1856, at Carroll County, Maryland, was a school teacher, died on June 20, 1922, and was buried at Watts Cemetery, Allens Creek, Virginia, and that John W. Wright and Catherine A. (Haifley) (Erb) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Ora Francis (Wright) Linthecum, born on March 26, 1874, at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 2) Norman Eugene Wright, born on December 20, 1876, at Gladstone, Virginia,
 - 3) Mary Elizabeth (Wright) Taylor, born in 1879, and
 - 4) Carrie Lee (Wright) (Woody) Drumheller, born on March 5, 1883.
 - iii. <u>1885 Sidney Wright Of Appomattox County</u>1855 Sidney Wright of Appomattox County was a son

of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

The birth record of Sydney Wright, son of Benjamin E. and Mary F. Wright, was dated on April 16, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child: Sydney Wright Date of Birth: April 16, 1855

Color: White Sex: Male Born: Alive

Place of Birth:

Appomattox

Father's Name:

Benjamin E Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence: Mother's Name:

Appomattox Mary F Wright

No. at Birth:

1

Informant:

B E Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

The death certificate of Sidney Wright was dated on April 22, 1855, at Appomattox County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the decedent:

"Place of Death:

Appomattox County, Virginia

Line Number:

99

Name of Deceased:

Sidney Wright

Race: Sex: White

Age:

Male 6 Days

Date of Death:

April 22, 1855

Place: Cause of Death: Appomattox Not Stated

Name of Parents:

Benj E. & Mary F. Wright

Birthplace of Deceased:

Appomattox Not Stated

Occupation:

Not Stated

Consort of: Name of Informant:

B. E. Wright

Relation of Informant:

Father

Commissioner of the Revenue:

Isaac Adams

Date Record Filed:

May 1856"

iv. Charles Wesley Wright, His Wife Nannie E. (Gowens)

Wright, And His Descendants

Charles Wesley Wright was a son of 1880 Benjamin

Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Charles H. Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on August 21, 1860, and his age as 5 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1855.

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright in the Benjamin W. Wright household on August 31, 1870, and his age as 15 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1855, and his occupation as farm hand.

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Charles Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on June 2, 1880, and his age as 24 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1856, and his occupation as works on farm.

The marriage record of Charles W. Wright and Nannie E. Gowens was dated on March 18, 1891, at Amherst County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Marriage License.

Virginia, Amherst County to wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Charles W Wright and Nannie E. Gowens

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Amherst County this 18th day of March 1891

Ch. L. Ellis, Clerk.

Certificate to Obtain a Marriage License,

Time of Marriage, March 18" 1891

Place of Marriage, Madison Amherst Co Va

Full Names of Parties Married, Charles W. Wright and Nannie E. Gowens

Color, White

Age of Husband, 34

Age of Wife, 20

Condition of Husband, (widowed or single,) Single

Condition of Wife, (widowed or single,) Single

Place of Husband's Birth, Appomattox Co.

Place of Wife's Birth, Amherst Co.

Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst Co.

Place of Wife's Residence, Amherst Co.

Names of Husband's Parents, Benj E. and Mary F. Wright

Names of Wife's Parents, James and Bettie Gowens

Occupation of Husband, Core maker

Given under my hand this 18" day of March 1891

Ch L Ellis Clerk.

Minister's Return Of Marriage.

I Certify, That on the 18th day of March 1891, at Madison, Amherst Co Va I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

Jacob Manning"

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Charles W. Wright with the following household:

		Location		
In 0	Cities House <u>Number</u>	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
		65	65	Charles W. Wright
	•			Nannie E Wright William E Wright James A. Wright Mary E Wright

Personal Description						
Color or race	color <u>Date of Birth</u>				Whether single, married, widowed, or or divorced	
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Personal Description [cont'd]					Nativity Place of birth of each person				
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Yes	Yes	Yes	6					Н	
Yes	No	Yes	3						

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the obituary of Charles Wesley Wright was published on April 19, 1935, in The News, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Charles Wesley Wright, 78, died last night at 9:05 o'clock at his home in Madison Heights. He was born in Amherst County May 18, 1857, and was a son of the late Benjamin Edward and Mary Rogers Wright. He was a member of Madison Heights Methodist Church and the Maccabees lodge. His wife was the late Nannie Gowens Wright.

He is survived by the following children: William Edward Wright of Richmond, James Benjamin Wright of Charlottesville, Mrs. Mary Watts of Lynchburg, Mrs. Harvey Ragland of Madison Heights and Mrs. Lena Ayers of Lynchburg.

The following brothers and sisters survive: J.M., E.M., and F.B. Wright of Madison Heights, Mrs. Mattie Wright and Mrs. Mary E. Stephens of Lynchburg.

The funeral service will be held Saturday."

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that Charles W. Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright, resided in 1860 at Appomattox County, Virginia, resided in 1870 and 1880 at Amherst County, Virginia, married Nannie E. Gowens on March 18, 1891, at Amherst County, Virginia, and resided in 1900, 1910, and 1920 at Amherst County, Virginia, that Nannie E. (Gowens) Wright was born in about 1873, and that Charles W. Wright and Nannie E. (Gowens) Wright had the following children:

- 1) William E. Wright, born in 1891,
- 2) Benjamin B. Wright, born in 1896,
- 3) Mary E. Wright, born in 1898,
- 4) Nettie Wright, born in 1901, and
- 5) Lena Wright, born in 1908.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that Charles Wesley Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, was born on May 18, 1856, at Appomattox County, Virginia, married Nannie Gowens, died on April 18, 1935, at Amherst County, Virginia, and was buried at Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia, and that Charles Wesley Wright and Nannie (Gowens) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Mary (Wright) Watts,
- 2) James Benjamin Wright,
- 3) William Edward Wright,
- 4) Lena Wright) Ayers, born on April 4, 1891, and

- 5) Nettie Elizabeth (Wright) Ragland, born in about 1895 at Amherst County, Virginia.
 - v. 1921 Benjamin Walter Wright Of Amherst County, His
 Wife Rosa Ella "Estella" Or "Rosella" (Jennings)
 Wright, And His Descendants
 1921 Benjamin Walter Wright of Amherst County was

Wright of Amheret County and Many Frances (Pogers)

a son of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed Benjamin W. Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on August 21, 1860, and his age as 2 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1858.

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Walter Wright in the Benjamin W. Wright household on August 31, 1870, and his age as 18 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1852, and his occupation as farm hand. However, the age may be incorrectly listed.

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Walter Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on June 2, 1880, and his age as 20 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1860, and his occupation as works on farm.

The marriage record of Benjamine Walter Wright and Rosa Ella Jennings was dated on December 20, 1882, at Nelson County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Marriage License.

Virginia, Nelson County to wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Mr Benjamine Walter Wright and Miss Rosa Ella Jennings

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Nelson this 16 day of Decr 1882

W M Hill Clerk.

Certificate To Obtain A Marriage License

Time of Marriage, Decr 20 1882

Place of Marriage, Nelson Co

Full Names of Parties Married, Benj Walter Wright and Rosa Ella Jennings

Color, White

Age of Husband, 23 Years

Age of Wife, 22 Years

Condition of Husband (widowed or single), Sing

Condition of Wife (widowed or single), Sing

Place of Husband's Birth, Appomattox Co

Place of Wife's Birth, Amherst Co

Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst Co.

Place of Wife's Residence, Nelson Co

Names of Husband's Parents, Benj Ed & Mary F Wright

Names of Wife's Parents, Saml Henry & Mary Ann Jennings

Occupation of Husband, Farmer

Given under my hand this 16 day of Decr 1882

W. M. Hill Clerk.

Minister's Return Of Marriage

I Certify, That on the 20th day of Dec 1882, at Brides Fathers I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

James M Dillard"

The birth record of Benjamin L. Wright, son of Walter and Rosa Wright, was dated on December 9, 1883, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Beni L Wright

Date of Birth:

December 9, 1883

Color:

White

Sex:

Male

Born:

Alive

Place:

Amherst County Walter Wright

Father's Name:

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence: Mother's Name:

Amherst County Rosa Wright

No. at Birth:

Deformity:

None

Informant:

Walter Wright

Relation:

Father"

The birth record of Mary B. Wright, daughter of B. W. and Rose E. Wright, was dated on May 25, 1886, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Mary B. Wright

Date of Birth:

May 25, 1886

Color:

White

Sex: Born:

Female Alive

Place:

Amherst County

Father's Name:

B W Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Amherst

Mother's Name:

Rose E Wright

No. at Birth:

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Deformity:

None

Informant:

B W Wright

Relation:

Father"

The birth record of Laura Wright, daughter of Walter and Rose Wright, was dated on July 28, 1895, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Laura Wright

Date of Birth:

July 28, 1895

Color:

White Female

Sex:

Walter Wright

Father's Name: Mother's Name:

Rose

No. at Birth:

1"

On September 13, 1895, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. VV/452 B. W. Wright purchased from Helen Maria Abbott a lot of land in Madison, Virginia:

"This Deed, made this 13th day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety five, between Helen Maria Abbott of the first part, B. W. Wright of the second part,

Witnesseth: That in consideration of the sum of One hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, cash in hand paid the said Helen Maria Abbott do grant unto the said B. W. Wright the following property, to wit: A certain lot or parcel of land in the town of Madison, Amherst Co. Va, containing two acres and is a certain lot of land given to Mrs Parthena Johnson by Miss India M. Warwick and bounded by the following lots in the Hays survey of the town of Madison (which said survey will

be found in the papers in the suit of Hall by &c. vs Thompson & others in the Corporation Court of Lynchburg) to wit: on the N. by lots 65, 66, 67 & 68 East by Wickes lot, South by lot 118 West by lot No. 96. This lot was devised to the said party of the 1st part by Parthenia Johnson by her will duly recorded in the County Court of Amherst.

The said party of the 1st part covenant that she has the right to convey the said land to grantee, that she has done no act to encumber the said land; that the grantee shall have quiet possession of the said land free from all encumbrances, and that she the said party of the first part, will execute such further assurances of the said land as may be requisite.

Witness the following signature and seal.

Witness: her

Thos. Whitehead, Jr. Helen M. X Abbott

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State of Virginia, County of Amherst, to wit:

I, Thos. Whitehead Jr, a Notary Public for the aforesaid Co. in the State of Virginia, do certify Helen M. Abbott whose name is signed to the within writing, bearing date on the Sept. 13th day, 1895, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 13" day of Sept. 1895.

Thos Whitehead Jr Notary Public

Virginia:

In the Clerk's office of Amherst County Court, September 20th, 1895. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the annexed certificate of acknowledgment admitted to record.

Teste: Wm Sandidge, Clerk"

On September 14, 1895, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. VV/468 B. W. Wright and Rose Wright executed a deed of trust to G. W. Mays to secure the purchase price of the land acquired by Amherst County Deed VV/452:

"This deed, made the 14th day of September in the year 1895, between B. W. Wright and Rose his wife of the state of Virginia and of the county of Amherst, parties of the first part, and G. W. Mays of the state of Virginia and of the county of Amherst, party of the second part:- Witneseth, That the said parties of the first part do we grant unto the party of the second part the following property, towit: A certain lot or parcel of land in the town of Madison in the county of Amherst, containing two (2) acres and is a certain lot of land given to Mrs. Parthenia Johnson by Miss India M. Warwick, and is bounded as follows, to wit: on the North by lots Nos. 65, 66, 67 and 68; on the East by Mrs. Wicker's lot; on the South by lot 118; and on the West by lot 96. These said lots are described in Hay's survey of the town of Madison (which said survey will be found in the papers in the suit of Hall by & etc. vs Thompsons and others in the Corporation Court of the City of Lynchburg) This lot was devised to Helen Maria Abbott by the will of Parthenia Johnson, which said will has been duly recorded in the County Court of Amherst. This lot being the same parcel of land recently sold to the said B. W Wright and a deed of which has been made by the said Helen Maria Abbott conveying to the said B. W. Wright full right and title thereto in consideration of one hundred (\$100.00) Dollars paid to the said Helen Maria Abbott. In trust, to secure to the said G. W. Mays party of the second part the payment of seventy five (\$75.00) Dollars for which the said B. W. Wright party of the first part has given his bond, bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum from the 1st day of September in the year 1895 to the 1st day of September 1897.

And it is further agreed between the parties aforesaid that in case of any default of payment of the above mentioned bond that Wm V. Wilson and Beverly harrison be appointed as trustees to settle any litigation as to said trust bond. In the event that default shall be made in the payment of the above mentioned bond, as it becomes due and payable, then the Trustees aforesaid, on being required so to do by the party of the second part or by his executors, administrators or assigns, shall sell the property hereby conveyed. And it is further covenanted and agreed between the parties aforesaid, that in case of a sale the same shall be made after first advertising the time, place and terms thereof, for thirty (30) days in some news paper published in the City of Lynchburg and upon the following terms, to wit:- For cash as to so much of the proceeds as may be necessary to defray the expenses of executing this trust, including the commission to the said trustees mentioned herein of 5% upon the gross amount of such sale, the fees for drawing and recording this deed if then unpaid and to discharge the amount of money then payable upon the said bond. The said parties of the first part covenant to pay all taxes; assessments and dues upon the said property hereby conveyed, so long as they may hold the same, and they further covenant to waive the benefit of their Homestead Exemption as to the debt secured by this deed. If no default shall be made in the payment of the above bond, then upon the request of the parties of the first

part a good and sufficient deed of release shall be made and executed to them at their own proper cost and charges.

Witness the following signatures and seals.

B. W. Wright Rosa Wright

State of Virginia, County of Amherst, to wit:

I, Thos. Whitehead, Jr., a Notary Public for the County of Amherst aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, do certyfy that B. W. Wright and Rosa Wright whose names are signed to the writing within, bearing date on the 14th day of September, 1895, have acknowledged the same before me in my county aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 4th day of Oct. 1895.

Thos. Whitehead, Jr., N.P.

Virginia:

In the Clerk's office of Amherst County Court, October 7th, 1895. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the annexed certificate of acknowledgments to record.

Teste: Wm. Sandidge, Clerk."

The listing of Rose Wright as the wife of B. W. Wright identifies the party to these deeds as Benjamin Walter Wright.

On June 8, 1898, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. XX/478 B. W. Wright and Rosa Ella Wright executed a deed of trust to J. H. Adams, Jr., to secure a debt due to Adams Brothers & Paynes Company:

"This deed made this 8th day of June 1898 by and between B. W. Wright and Rosa Ella Wright his wife, parties of the first part, J. H. Adams Jr. Trustee, party of the second part and the Adams, Brothers, Paynes Company, a corporation chartered under the laws of the State of Virginia, parties of the third part:

Witnesseth: That the said parties of the first part do hereby grant and convey unto the said J. H. Adams Jr., Trustee with general warranty of title the following described real estate, to wit: A certain lot or parcel of land in the town of Madison, County of Amherst, Virginia, containing two acres, it being the same lot of land that was given to Mrs Parthena Johnson by Miss India M. Warwick, and

bounded by the following lots in the Hays survey of the town of Madison (which said survey will be found in the papers in the suit of Hall by etc vs Thompson and others in the Corporation Court for the City of Lynchburg) to wit: on the north by lots Nos. 65, 66, 67 and 68, on the East by Wickers Lot, on the South by lot No. 118, and on the West by Lot No. 96. This lot was devised to Helen Maria Abbott by Parthena Johnson by her will duly recorded in the office of the Clerk of Amherst County Court and was conveyed to the party of the first part by the said Helen Maria Abbott by deed dated September 13th, 1895 and of record in the Clerk's office aforesaid in Deed Book "V.V." at page 452.

To have and to hold the property hereby conveyed unto the said J. H. Adams Jr., and his successors forever:

But upon this Trust:

To secure to the said Adams Brothers & Paynes Company the payment of the sum of Two Hundred and Seventy five Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of six per centum per annum evidenced by the negotiable note of the said B. W. Wright for the sum of \$275.00 bearing even date with this deed and payable on demand with interest thereon at the rate of six percentum per annum

And the said B. W. Wright hereby covenants that he will on the Fifth day of each month, curtail the said negotiable note by paying thereon the sum of Eight Dollars, until the entire amount evidenced by the said note with the interest thereon is paid in full.

And the said B. W. Wright hereby covenants that he will keep the buildings on said property insured in some solvent company in at least the sum of \$300.00 for the benefit of this trust: and the policy or policies of such insurance shall be assigned to said Trustee as a further security of said debt.

And as to the debt secured in this deed the said B. W. Wright hereby waives the benefit of his homestead exemption.

And the said B. W. Wright further covenants that he will promptly pay all premiums of insurance on said property, as well as all taxes and assessments upon the same: and should said B. W. Wright fail so to insure said property, or fail to pay any premiums of such insurance, or any taxes or assessments upon said property then the said Trustee or the said Adams Brothers - Paynes Company may take out such insurance and pay any premiums of such insurance or taxes and assessments as the same shall become due and any sum so paid shall with interest from the date of payment, become a part of the debt secured in this deed and be due and payable with the next ensueing monthly installment of Eight Dollars to be paid in curtail of the said negotiable note by the said B. W. Wright.

If default be made in the payment of three of the monthly installments of Eight Dollars each so that the said B. W. Wright at any time be Twenty Four Dollars in arrears in the said installments, then the said Trustee upon being requested so to do by the said Adams Brother - Paynes Company, and after duly advertising the time and place of sale in such manner and such time as the said Trustee may deem most advisable, proceed to sell the property conveyed, by publication, on the premises, or at such other place as the said Trustee may deem most beneficial to the trust, for cash as to enough to pay the costs of executing this trust, the whole of the said debt herein secured, principal and interest any sum paid for taxes or assessments or assurance, with interest thereon from the date of such payment, and as to the residue upon such terms as the said B. W. Wright may direct and in default of such direction, upon such terms as the said Trustee may deem best.

The said Trustee shall apply the proceeds of such sale as follows:

- (1) To the payment of the costs of executing this trust, including a commission to the said Trustee of five per centum on the gross amount of such sale.
- (2) To the payment of the whole of the debt herein secured, principal and interest thereon accrued, together with any sum paid by said Trustee for insurance, taxes or assessments upon said property or the said Adams Brothers Paynes Company for insurance, taxes or Assessments upon said property.
- (3) To the payment of all taxes or assessments with which the said property is then chargeable.
- (4) The residue, if any, the said Trustee shall pay over to the said B. W. Wright.

And the said B. W. Wright hereby covenants that he has the right to convey the said property: that he has done no act to encumber the same; that in case of a sale under this deed the purchaser from said Trustee shall have peaceable possession of said property, free from all encumbrances: and that he will execute such other and further assurances of title as may be deemed requisite by competent counsel, and in no case shall the purchaser, in case of a sale, be required to look to the application of the purchase money.

Witness the following signatures and seals:

B. W. Wright Rosa Ella Wright State of Virginia
City of Lynchburg to-wit:

I, John A. Faulkner, a notary public in and for the City and State aforesaid do certify that B. W. Wright whose name is signed to the foregoing deed bearing date on the 8th day of June 1898 has acknowledged the same before me in my said City of Lynchburg.

Given under my hand this 9th day of June 1898.

John A. Faulkner Notary Public.

State of Virginia County of Amherst to wit:

I, Geo. W. Huff a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid do certify that Rosa Ella Wright, whose name is signed to the foregoing deed bearing date on the 8th day of June 1898, has sacknowledged the same before me in my said County of Amherst - Given under my hand this 9th day of June 1898

Geo. W. Huff J.P.

Virginia:

In the clerk's office of the County Court of Amherst County, June 13th 1898. The foregoing deed was this day received in said office and upon the annexed certificates of acknowledgment admitted to record.

Teste: Wm Sandidge, Clerk"

On June 16, 1899, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. 52/24 Benjamin W. Wright purchased from Edward and Parlina Drummond a one-third interest in 241 acres of land:

"This Deed made the 16th day June 1899, between Edward Drummond and Palina Drummond his wife of the City of Beuna Vista in the State of Virginia, parties of the first part and Benjamin W. Wright of the County of Amherst in the State Virginia party of the second part.

Witnesseth: That the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of One hundred dollars, cash in hand paid before the signing and sealing of these presents the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged have this day

bargained and sold and do by these presents bargain sell transfer and assign to the party of the second part with general warranty, a certain lot piece parcel or tract of land, viz: one third undivided interest in a tract of land situated in the County of Amherst in the State of Virginia on Panther Mountain adjoining the lands of the Estate of Rufus A. Higginbotham deceased and others containing Two Hundred and forty one acres more or less it being the same land bought by the said Edward Drummond P.H. Drummond and Henley Drummond from the Estate of Zacharia Drummond decd: to him the said Benjiman W. Wright to have & to hold in fee simple the said undivided one third interest in the said tract of land of two hundred and forty one acres more or less.

The said parties of the first part covenant that they have the right to convey the said land that they have done no act to encumber the said land and they will execute such other and further assurances of the said land as may be requisite.

Witness the following signatures and seals.

Edward Drummond Parlina Drummond

Virginia City of Buena Vista To Wit:

I, D. H. Rucker Clerk of the Corporation court in and for the City aforesaid in the State of Virginia do certify that Edward Drummond and Paulina Drummond whose names are signed to the foregoing deed bearing date on the 16th day of June 1899, have each acknowledged the same before me in my office in said City.

Given under my hand this 16th day of June 1899.

D. H. Rucker Clerk of the Corporation Court of Buena Vista

Virginia:

In the Clerk's office of the County Court of Amherst County, March 17th 1902. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the certificate of acknowledgments thereto annexed admitted to record.

Teste: W. E. Sandidge Clerk."

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Walter Wright with the following household:

		Location		
<u>ln (</u>	<u>Cities</u>	Number of dwelling houses in the order	Number of family in the order	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1,
<u>Street</u>	House <u>Number</u>	of visitation	of visition	1900, was in this family.
		66	66	Walter Wright Rosa Wright Leonard Wright Bessie Wright Lawson Wright Estel Wright

Relation		Personal Description							
Relationship of each person the head the family	Color or race	<u>Sex</u>	Date of Month	Birth Year	Age at last <u>birthday</u>	Whether single, married, widowed, or or divorced			
Head	W	M	Apr	1860	40	M			
Wife	W	F	Nov	1861	38	M			
Son	W	M	Dec	1885	15	S			
daughter	W	F	May	1887	13	S			
Son	W	M	Aug	1894	5	S			
daughter	W	F	Aug	1897	2	S			

Personal Description [cont'd]			Nativity			
			Place of birth of each person			
			and parents	of each perso	n enumerated.	
		Number		Place of	Place of	
Number	Mother of	of these	Place of	birth of	birth of	
of years	how many	children	birth of	Father of	Mother of	
<u>married</u>	<u>children</u>	<u>living</u>	this Person	this person	this person	
16			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	
16	5	4	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	

<u>Citizenship</u>			Occupation, 7		
Year of	Number		Or Profession)	Education
immi-	of years		of each perso	n Ten	
gration to	in the		Years of age	and over.	Attended
the United	United	Natural-		Months not	school in
<u>States</u>	<u>States</u>	<u>ization</u>	Occupation	employed	months)

Carpenter

Education [cont'd]				Ownership (Of Home	
Can <u>read</u>	Can <u>write</u>	Can speak English	Owned or rented	Owned free or mortgaged		Number of fam schedule
Yes	Yes	Yes			Н	
Yes	Yes	Yes				
Yes	Yes	Yes				
Yes	Yes	Yes				

On January 15, 1902, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. 52/23 Benjamin W. Wright purchased from P. H. and Fannie E. Drummond a one-third interest in 241 acres of land:

"This deed made this the 15th day of January nineteen hundred and two, by and between P. H. Drummond and Fannie E. Drummond his wife of Gidsville in the State of Virginia parties of the 1st part and Benj W. Wright of Fork's of Buffalo County of Amherst and State of Virginia party of the 2nd part.

Witnesseth: That the said parties of the 1st part for and in consideration of the sum of One Hundred dollars to them in hand paid, before the delivery of this deed. By the said party of the 2nd part. Receipt of which is hereby acknowledged. They the said parties of the 1st part, do hereby grant and convey with general warranty of title to the said party of the 2nd part. The following discribed real estate, lying and being in the County of Amherst on the South side of Panther Mountain near the Fork of Buffalo, to wit: All of our one third interest in a certain tract of land conveyed by John Robison Commr, to Edward P. H. and Henley Drummond, containing Two Hundred and forty acres more or less, on Panther Mountain adjoining the lands of Thos J. Higginbotham, G. W. Dodd Jno P. Burks and others, with all the appertenances thereto belonging. The same to have and to hold forever in fee simple.

The said parties of the 1st part covenant that they have the right to convey the said land to the grantee and that they have done no act to encumber the said land and that the grantee shall have quiet possession of said land, free from all

encumbrance, and that the said parties of the 1st part will execute such further assurances of said land as may be requisite.

Witness our hands and signatures this the day and year above written

P. H Drummond Fannie E. Drummond

Virginia: Amherst County to-wit

I F. H. Higginbotham, a Justice of the Peace for and in the County aforesaid, do certify that P. H. Drummond and Fannie E. Drummond his wife, whose names are signed to the foregoing, and bearing date on the 15th day of January 1902 have acknowledged the same befeore me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this the 15th day of January 1902.

F. H. Higginbotham J.P.

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Amherst Court, March 17th 1902. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the certificate of Acknowledgments thereto annexed admitted to record.

Teste: W. E. Sandidge, Clerk."

On January 15, 1902, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. 52/25 Benjamin W. Wright purchased from Henley Drummond a one-third interest in 241 acres of land:

"This Deed made this 15th day of January 1902, Between Henley Drummond of the one part and Benjamin W. Wright of the other part.

Witnesseth that the said Henley Drummond of the first part in consideration of the sum of \$200.00 two hundred dollars to him in hand paid before the sealing and delivering of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted bargained and sold and by these presents doth give grant bargain sell and convey unto the said Benjamin W. Wright his (1/3) one third interest of a certain tract or parcel of land in the County of Amherst and state of Virginia, lying on the south side of Panther Mountain, estimated to contain 242 acres, be the same more more or less, and is bounded by the lines of Thomas Higginbotham Patrick H. Drummond, George M. Claiborn Dodd & others, the same being Known as the Drummond & Brothers Tract, the (1/3) one third interest of which the said Henley Drummond of the first part doth warrant his claim to the said

Benjamine W. Wright of the second part against the claim or claims of all other person or persons whomsoever.

In testimony whereof the said Henley Drummond doth hereunto set his hand and affix his seal the day and date first above mentioned

Henley Drummond

Virginia Amherst County To wit:

I F. H. Higginbotham, a Justice of the Peace for and in the County aforesaid, Do certify that Henley Drummond whose name is signed to the foregoing deed bearing date Jan 15th 1902, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this the 15th day of January 1902

F. H. Higginbotham J.P.

Virginia.

In the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Amherst County, March 17th 1902. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the certificate of acknowledgment, thereto annexed admitted to record.

Teste: W. E. Sandidge Clerk."

On February 14, 1902, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. 52/26 Benjamin W. Wright and his wife Annie E. Wright executed a deed of trust as to 241 acres of land to H. S. Myers to secure a debt due to Mary L. Myers:

"This deed made this 14th day of February 1902, by and between Benj W. Wright and Annie E. Wright his wife, parties of the first part, H. S. Myers Trustee party of the second part, and Mary L. Myers party of the third part.

Witnesseth: That the parties of the first part do hereby convey and grant, unto the party of the second part in fee simple and with general warranty of title, the tract of land, situated, lying and being in Amherst County, on the south side of Panther Mountain called the Panther Mountain tract and containing Two Hundred and forty Acres or there about being the same tract conveyed to said Benj W. Wright, by three different deeds, namely One from Edward and Paulina his wife bearing date 16th day of June 1899, one from P. H. and wife bearing date January 15th 1902, and the other from Henley Drummond dated January 15th 1902.

Upon the following trust, nevertheless, and for no other purpose, Vis to secure to the said Mary L. Myers payment of two bonds of the said Benj W. Wright, dated Feby 14th 1902, togather with interest from Jany 15th 1902, for \$150.00 One Hundred and fifty Dollars each, in all Three Hundred Dollars, payable in one and two years from January 15th 1902, said bonds given for a cash loan of money with which to pay the two thirds interest conveyed to Benj W. Wright by P. H. Drummond and wife and Henley Drummond in said tract of land. Said parties of the first part covenant that no timber shall be sold from said lands except that proceeds from the same shall be paid on said bonds.

Witness the following signatures and seals this the 14th day of Feby 1902.

Benj W. Wright Annie E. Wright

Virginia, Amherst County, to wit:

I, F. H. Higginbotham, a Justice of the Peace for and in the County of aforesaid, do certify that Benj W. Wright, and Annie E. Wright his wife, whose names are signed to the foregoing writing, bearing date Feby 14th 1902, this day personally appeared before me in my County aforesaid and acknowledged their said Signatures.

Witness my hand this the 13th day of March 1902.

F. H. Higginbotham J.P.

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Amherst County, March 17th, 1902. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the certificate of Acknowledgments thereto annexed admitted to recorg.

Teste:

W. E. Sandidge Clerk"

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the obituary of Benjamin Walter Wright was published on March 1, 1921, by The News, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"The funeral of Benjamin Wright took place at his home in Madison Heights yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment was in the Presbyterian Cemetery. The pallbearers were Bennie Wright, Sidney Stephens, Edgar Wright, James R. Wright, Willie Wright and Bunnie Wright."

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that Benjamin Walter Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright, resided in 1870 and 1880 at Amherst County, Virginia, married Rose Ella "Estella" or "Rosella" Jennings on December 16, 1882, at Nelson County, Virginia, and resided in 1900, 1910, and 1920 at Amherst County, Virginia, that Rose Ella "Estella" or "Rosella" (Jennings) Wright was born in 1861, and that Benjamin Walter Wright and Rose Ella "Estella" or "Rosella" (Jennings) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Benjamin L. Wright, born in 1885,
- 2) Bessie Wright, born in 1887,
- 3) Lawson W. Wright, born in 1894, and
- 4) Rosa Estelle (Wright) Dudley, born in 1897.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that Benjamin Walter Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, was born on October 3, 1859, at Appomattox County, Virginia, married Rosa Ella Jennings, died on February 26, 1921, and was buried at Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia, that Rosa Ella (Jennings) Wright was born on January 20, 1866, and died on January 27, 1932, and that Benjamin Walter Wright and Rosa Ella (Jennings) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Benjamin Leonard Wright, born on December 9, 1883, at Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 2) Bessie (Wright) (Meehan) Smith, born on April 25, 1886,
 - 3) Charlie Lee Wright, born on October 16, 1888,
- 4) Lawson Walter Wright, born on August 3, 1895, at Amherst County, Virginia, and
- 5) Rosa Estelle (Wright) Dudley, born on August 15, 1897, at Amherst County, Virginia.

vi. Ellen Wright

Ellen Wright was a daughter of 1880 Benjamin

Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that Ellen Wright was a daughter of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright and was born in March 1860.

> Martha Helena "Mattie" (Wright) Wright, Her Husband vii. 1933 Robert Braxton Wright Of Lynchburg, And Her <u>Descendants</u>

Martha H. "Mattie" (Wright) Wright was a daughter of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

This couple has been discussed above in connection with the family of William Washington Wright and Elizabeth T. or Susan () Wright and the reader is referred to that section for the information on this couple and their descendants.

> viii. 1939 James Monroe Wright Of Amherst County, His Wife Mattie Lou Or Lee (Drinkard) Wright, And His Descendants

> > 1939 James Monroe Wright of Amherst County was a

son of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

The birth record of James M. Wright, son of Benjamin E. and Mary F. Wright, was dated on March 22, 1865, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

James M Wright

Date of Birth:

March 22, 1865

White Color: Sex: Male Born: Alive

Place of Birth: Father's Name: Appomattox Benj E Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Appomattox

Mother's Name: Mary F Wright

No. at Birth:

Informant: Benj E Wright

Relation of Informant: Father

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed James Wright in the Benjamin W. Wright household on August 31, 1870, and his age as 6 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1864.

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed James Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on June 2, 1880, and his age as 15 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1865, and his occupation as works on farm.

The marriage record of James M. Wright and Mattie Lee Drinkard was dated on October 28, 1897, at Amherst County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Marriage License.

Virginia, Amherst County to wit:

To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, James M. Wright and Mattie Lee Drinkard

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Amherst County this 28th day of October 1897

Wm Sandidge, Clerk.

Certificate to Obtain a Marriage License,

Place of Wife's Birth, Amherst Co.

Time of Marriage, Oct. 28th 1897
Place of Marriage, Madison
Full Names of Parties Married, James M. Wright and Mattie Lee Drinkard
Color, White
Age of Husband, 32 Years
Age of Wife, 21 Years
Condition of Husband, (widowed or single,) Single
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single,) Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Amherst Co.

Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst Co. Place of Wife's Residence, Amherst Co. Names of Husband's Parents, Benj. & Mary Wright Names of Wife's Parents, C. E. and B. A. Drinkard Occupation of Husband, Foundry

Given under my hand this 28th day of October 1897

Wm Sandidge, Clerk.

Minister's Return Of Marriage.

I Certify, That on the 28 day of Oct. 1897 at Madison I united in Marriage the above-named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License.

LeRoy J. Phaup"

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed James M. Wright with the following household:

		Location		
In (Cities House Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
		159	159	James M Wright Mattie L Wright Charles B Wright

Relation			Pers	onal Des	cription	
Relationship of each per-					Age	Whether single, married,
son the head	Color		Date of	Birth	at last	widowed, or
the family	or race	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Month</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>birthday</u>	or divorced
111	10/		N 4	4005	0.5	5.4
Head	W	M	Mar	1865	35	M
wife	W	F	May	1876	24	M
Son	W	M	Dec	1898	1	

Perso	nal Descriptio	n [cont'd]	Nativity			
	-	_	Place of birth of each person			
			and parent	ts of each perso	n enumerated.	
		Number		Place of	Place of	
Number	Mother of	of these	Place of	birth of	birth of	
of years	how many	children	birth of	Father of	Mother of	
married	<u>children</u>	<u>living</u>	this Persor	n this person	this person	
1			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	
1	1	1	Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	
			Virginia	Virginia	Virginia	
	Citizenship		Occupation, T	rade,		
Year of	Number		Or Profession	Education		
immi-	of years		of each perso	n Ten		
gration to	in the		Years of age a	and over.	Attended	
the United	d United	Natural-	_	Months not	school in	
States	<u>States</u>	<u>ization</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	employed	months)	
			day Laborer	0		

Ed	<u>lucation [</u>	cont'd]		Ownership (<u>Of Home</u>	
Can read	Can write	Can speak English		Owned free or mortgaged		
Yes Yes	Yes Yes	Yes Yes	0	F	Н	<u></u>

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the obituary of James Monroe Wright was published on January 13, 1939, by The News, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"James Monroe Wright, 73, died yesterday evening at 6:20 o'clock at Memorial Hospital after an illness of two weeks.

Born at Walker's Ford, Amherst County, March 23, 1865, he was the son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mrs. Mary Frances Rogers Wright. He was a member of Madison Heights Methodist Church, T. Wiley Davis Lodge of Odd Fellows, Marshall Lodge of Masons No. 39, Junior Order of United American Mechanics and Woodmen of the World.

He was a member of the Board of Stewards of Madison Heights Church for 40 years and had served as superintendent of the Sunday school. He was in the

grocery business in Madison Heights for about 40 years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mattie Drinkard Wright, and the following children: Charles B. Wright of Lynchburg, and James M. Wright, Jr., Aubrey E. Wright, Mrs. C. W. Layne and Mrs. J. R. Cooper, all of Madison Heights, and Mrs. R. B. Wright and Mrs. Mary E. Stephens of Lynchburg. Thirteen grandchildren survive.

Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from Madison Heights Methodist Church, with burial in Meade's Chapel Cemetery."

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which also stated that the obituary of Mattie Lee Drinkard Wright was published on March 23, 1960, by The News, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Mrs. Mattie Lee Drinkard Wright, 83, wife of the late James M. Wright, died Monday night at 11:55 at her home, 304 Main Street in Madison Heights. She was born in Amherst County May 27, 1876, a daughter of Charles E. and Bettie Rucker Drinkard. She was a member of Madison Heights Methodist Church. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. C. Wesley Lane and Mrs. J. R. Cooper of Madison Heights; three sons, Charles B. Wright of Lynchburg, James M. Wright, Jr. and Aubrey A. Wright of Madison Heights; 13 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted today at 3 p.m. from Madison Heights Methodist Church with burial in Mead Cemetery. The body will remain at Diuguid Memorial Chapel until one hour before the service."

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that James M. Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright, was born in March 1864 at Appomattox County, Virginia, resided in 1870 and 1880 at Amherst County, Virginia, married Mattie Lou (Drinkard) Wright on October 28, 1897, at Amherst County, Virginia, resided in 1900, 1910, and 1920 at Amherst County, Virginia, resided in 1935 at 304 Main Street, Madison Heights, Virginia, and was a grocer, that Mattie Lou (Drinkard) Wright was born in 1876, and that James M. Wright and Mattie Lou (Drinkard) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Charles B. Wright, born in 1898,
- 2) James M. Wright, born in 1902,
- 3) Aubrey Wright, born in 1904,
- 4) Hazel Wright, born in 1907, and

5) Mildred Wright, born in 1916.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which also stated that James Monroe Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, was born on March 23, 1865, at Amherst County, Virginia, married Mattie Lee Drinkard in October 1897, died on January 12, 1939, at Amherst County, Virginia, and was buried at Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia, that Mattie Lee Drinkard was born on May 27, 1876, at Amherst County, Virginia, died on March 21, 1960, and was buried at Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia, and that James Monroe Wright and Mattie Lee (Drinkard) Wright were the following:

- 1) Charles Benjamin Wright, born on December 18, 1898, at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 2) James Monroe Wright, Jr., born on July 28, 1901, at Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 3) Aubrey Earl Wright, born on March 19, 1904, at Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 4) Madeline Wright, born on march 27, 1905,
- 5) Hazel Lucille (Wright) Layne, born on January 6, 1907, at Amherst County, Virginia, and
- 6) Mildred (Wright) Cooper, born on August 29, 1915, at Amherst County, Virginia.
 - ix. Mary "Mollie" Elizabeth (Wright) Stevens, Her

 Husband Woodrow Or Woodward "Wood" Monroe

 Stevens, And Her Descendants

Mary "Mollie" Elizabeth (Wright) Stevens was a

daughter of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Mary B. Wright in the Benjamin W. Wright household on August 31, 1870, and her age as 3 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1867.

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Mary E. Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on June 2, 1880, and her age as 12 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1868.

The marriage record of Wood Stephens and Mary E. Wright was dated on September 15, 1886, at Amherst County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Date of License: Sept 15, 1886

Parties: Wood Stephens & Mary E. Wright

Witness: Mattie Wright Age of Husband: 21 Age of Wife: 19

Condition of Husband: Single Condition of Wife: Single

Place of Husband's Birth: Chester Co. Pa Place of Wife's Birth: Appomattox, Va. Place of Husband's Residence: Botetourt Place of Wife's Residence: Amherst

Husband's Color: White

Wife's Color:

Names of Husband's Parents: Osborn E & Margaret Stephens Names of Wife's Parents: Benj Edward & Mary Francis Wright

Husband's Occupation: Mining"

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the obituary of Mary Elizabeth (Wright) Stephens was published on May 9, 1947, in The Daily Advance, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Wright Stephens, 78, died at 11:45 P.M. yesterday at her home, 905 Fifteenth street, after an illness of six weeks. Born in Amherst County June 14, 1868, she was the daughter of Benjamin W. and Mary Rogers Wright. She was a member of Trinity Methodist Church.

Mrs. Stephens is survived by four sons, Clarence M. Stephens of Madison Heights, Edward M., Sydney B., and Charles W. Stephens, all of Lynchburg, four daughters, Mrs. H. B. Harrell of Madison Heights, Mrs. F. A. Hauswirth, Mrs. H. A. Morton and Miss Lizzie May Stephens, all of Lynchburg; a brother, F. B. Wright of Madison Heights, 25 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 in Trinity Methodist Church. Burial will be in Fort Hill Burial Park."

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which also stated that the obituary of Wood M. Stephens provided as follows:

"The funeral services of the late Mr. Wood M. Stephens took place at eleven o'clock this morning at the home in Madison, and were conducted by Rev. C. H. Galloway, pastor of the Methodist Church there. The interment was at Mead [sic] Chapel, about two miles from Madison. Among those who attended the funeral were a number of the fellow workmen of the deceased at the Glamorgan Works.

He was a valued employee of the Glamorgan Pipe and Foundry Company, and while engaged in his duties there was caught in the shafting of the machinery and so badly crushed that he died a short while afterwards. No one seemed to know exactly how the accident was caused. Mr. Stephens was occupied with his usual labor, and was devoting energy and attention to what he was doing. In some way his clothing caught on a screw attached to the machinery, and in a moment he was dragged into the whirl of the crushing iron and steel. In less time that it takes to tell of it, the machinery had been stopped and Mr. Stephens released from his perilous position, but it was too late to save him from fearful injury. One of his arms from elbow to hand was terribly bruised, but the principal injury which he sustained was internal. When his companions reached his side he was conscious and able to speak.

Dr. E. A. Waugh was quickly summoned, and on arriving at the works rendered every possible attention to the injured man. Shortly thereafter Mr. Stephens was removed to his home in Madison where he died forty minutes past five o'clock, and the news of his death was everywhere received with deepest regret and sorrow. Those who had known him paused in the rush of life to pay a tribute to his memory; for they knew that he had been a kind and loving husband and father, a true and faithful friend, and an honest and upright man. In the Glamorgan Works he was held in the highest esteem by both his employers and fellow workmen, and there was not one of them who did not feel that his death was a great personal loss. The president of Glamorgan declared that he was one of his best men and that to fill his place would be a difficult matter.

The oldest of Mr. Stephen's children is only fifteen years of age while the youngest is only seventeen months. His wife was Miss Mary E. Wright, of Amherst. Mr. Stephens was born in Pennsylvania, but was reared in Amherst county. Saturday was the thirtieth anniversary of his connection with the Glamorgan.

The pall-bearers were: Messrs. A. J. Bryant, T. L. Williams, Sam Sanderson, Leon Honig, G. W. Smith and W. A. Murray.

The flower bearers were: Messrs. C. A. Taylor, W. E. Wood, Samuel Turner, and H. G. Hudson."

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that Mary "Mollie" Elizabeth Wright was a daughter of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright, was born in about 1864 at Appomattox County, Virginia, resided in 1870 and 1880 at Amherst County, Virginia, married Woodrow "Wood" Monroe Stevens on September 5, 1886, at Amherst County, Virginia, and resided in 1900 and 1910 at Amherst County, Virginia, that Woodrow "Wood" Monroe Stevens was born in 1865, and that Mary "Mollie" Elizabeth (Wright) Stevens and Woodrow "Wood" Monroe Stevens had the following children:

- 1) Helina D. Stevens, born in 1887,
- 2) Lettie Stevens, born in 1888,
- 3) Clarence Stevens, born in 1890,
- 4) Irine Stevens, born in 1893,
- 5) Edward "Eddie" Stevens, born in 1896,
- 6) Sidney Bernard Stevens, born in 1898, and
- 7) Elizabeth L. Stevens, born in 1899.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that Mary Elizabeth Wright was a daughter of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, was born on June 14, 1868, at Appomattox County, Virginia, married Woodward Monroe Stephens on September 15, 1886, died on May 8, 1947, at Lynchburg, Virginia, and was buried at Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia, that Woodward Monroe Stephens was born on March 20, 1866, at Chester County, Pennsylvania, died on November 2, 1902, at Amherst County, Virginia, and was buried at Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia, and that Mary Elizabeth (Wright) Stephens and Woodward Monroe Stephens had the following children:

1) Lena Belle (Stephens) Harrell, born on September 25, 1887, at Amherst County, Virginia,

- 2) Lottie (Stephens) Hauswirth, born on November 2, 1888, at Gladstone. Virginia,
 - 3) Clarence Stephens, born on November 7, 1890,
- 4) Irene Della (Stephens) Morton, born on December 24, 1893, at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 5) Edward Monroe Stephens, born on July 10, 1895, at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 6) Sidney Bernard Stephens, born on May 26, 1898, at Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 7) Lizzie May Stephens, born on July 26, 1899, at Amherst County, Virginia,
 - 8) Lilly Stephens, born on July 26, 1899, and
- 9) Charles Wesley Stephens, born on May 24, 1902, at Amherst County, Virginia.
 - X. 1944 Edward Madison Wright Of Amherst County, His Wife Annie L. (Brook) Wright, And His **Descendants**

1944 Edward Madison Wright of Amherst County was a son of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

The birth record of Madison E. Wright, son of Benjamin E. and Mary Wright, was dated on October 14, 1869, at Amherst County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Madison E. Wright

Date of Birth:

October 14, 1869

Color:

White

Sex:

Male

Born:

Alive

Place:

Amherst

Father's Name:

Benj. E. Wright

Father's Occupation:

Mechanic Amherst

Father's Residence: Mother's Name:

No. at Birth:

Mary

Informant:

Father"

The 1870 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Edward Wright in the Benjamin W. Wright household on August 31, 1870, and his age as 1 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1869.

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Edward Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on June 2, 1880, and his age as 9 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1871.

On April 15, 1895, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. VV/362 E. M. Wright purchased from William V. Wilson, Jr., as administrator of the estate of J. Phil Shaner, three lots in Madison Virginia:

"This deed made this 15th day of April 1895 by and between Wm V. Wilson, Jr., Administrator, d.b.n.c.t.a. of J. Phil Shaner, deceased, of the first part, E. M. Wright of the second part, and O. Baldock of the third part:

Witnesseth: that for and in consideration of the premises and of the payment in full of the sum of One Hundred and Ninety Dollars (\$190.00) in cash, the receipt of which by the said party of the first part of the said E. M. Wright is hereby acknowledged, the said Wm V. Wilson Jr., Administrator, d.b.n.c.t.a. of J. Phil Shower, deceased, hereby gives, grants and conveys, with Special Warranty of title, to the said E. M. Wright, his heirs and assigns forever the three lots or parcels of land in the town of Madison, in the County of Amherst, designated as lots Nos. 65, 66 and 135 in a plat made by M. H. Garland, surveyor and admitted to record with a deed from Wm V. Wilson Jr. Administrator, d.b.n.c.t.a. of J. Phil Shaner to Adelia M. Abbott, dated April 24th 1894, and duly recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Amherst County, said lots being described as follows: Lots Nos. 65 and 66 contain together Nine-tenths of an acre, and have a frontage on an unnamed Street of Two Hundred and Three feet, extending that distance from the point in said Street where it is crossed by a branch and on the opposite side having a width of Two Hundred and Four feet, and having said branch extending along the north Two Hundred and Ten feet and Eight inches, and on its southern boundary having a width of One Hundred and Ninety Four feet and Eight inches. No. 135 has a frontage on Third Street of Sixty Five feet, and a width at the opposite end of Seventy feet, and a depth on the western side of One Hundred and Twenty five feet and on the opposite side of One Hundred and Forty Nine and one-half feet.

These lots are a part of the property conveyed to J. Phil Shaner by Philip Shaner and wife by deed of May 30th 1877, recorded in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Amherst County, Deed Book K.K., page 471.

Lot 135 was sold to O. Baldock andhe by writing herein directs the conveyance of that lot to E. M. Wright.

Witness the following signatures and seals on the day and year first above written.

Wm V. Wilson, Jr. Admr d.b.n.c.t. of J. Phil Shaner, decd Oscar Baldock

State of Virginia, City of Lynchburg, to-wit:

I, C. D. Hamner, a Notary Public in and for the City of Lynchburg, in the State of Virginia, do certify that Wm V. Wilson Jr. whose name as Administrator is signed to the foregoing deed, bearing date on the 15th day of April 1895. has acknowledged the same before me in my City aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 26th day of April 1895.

C. D. Hamner, Notary Public

Virginia:

In the Clerk's office of Amherst County Court, April 30th, 1895. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the annexed certificate of acknowledgments admitted to record.

Teste: Wm. Sandidge, Clerk."

On August 2, 1895, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. VV/451 Ed. M. Wright sold to Samuel P. Wingfield two of the three lots in Madison Virginia purchased by Amherst County Deed VV/362:

"This Deed, made this 2d day of Aug't, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety five, between Ed M. Wright of the first part, Saml. P. Wingfield of the second part.

Witnesseth: That in consideration of the sum of One hundred (\$100) Dollars cash in hand paid the said party of the first do grant unto the said party of the 2d part, the following property, to wit: A certain parcel of land in the town of Madison Amherst County, Va. and known as lots No. 65 & 66 in the plat of the "Shaver property" which said plat is recorded with the deed of Wm V. Wilson Jr. Admr. to Adlia M Abbott, the said lots contain 9/10 of an acre and have a frontage of 203 feet on an unnamed street and is fully described in the deed from Wm V. Wilson Jr Admr. to Ed. M. Wright dated 15th April 1895 and

recorded in the Clerks office of the County Court of Amherst Co. in deed book V.V. page 362.

The said party of the 1st part covenant that he has the right to convey the said land to grantee; that he has done no act to encumber the said land; that the grantee shall have quiet possession of the said land free from all encumbrances, and that he party of the first part, will execute such further assurances of the said land as may be requisite.

Witness the following signatures and seal.

E. M. Wright

State of Virginia, County of Amherst, to wit:

I, Thos. Whitehead Jr a Notary Public for the County aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, do certify Ed. M. Wright, whose name is signed to the within writing, bearing date on the 2d day of Aug. 1895, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 2d day of Augst. 1895.

Thos. Whitehead, Jr., Notary Public

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of Amherst County Court, September 20th, 1895. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the annexed certificate of acknowledgment admitted to record.

Teste: Wm. Sandidge, Clerk."

On November 1, 1897, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. XX/210 E. M. Wright executed a deed of trust as to Lot 135 in Madison, Virginia, to the trustees of the Lynchburg Perpetual Building and Loan Company to secure a debt of \$1300:

"This Deed made the 1st day of November 1897, between E. M. Wright of the first, James R. Gilliam, Samuel Tyree and T. A. Watts Trustee of the Lynchburg Perpetual Building and Loan Company of the second part, and the said Lynchburg Perpetual Building and Loan Company, of the third part,

Whereas the said E. M. Wright has executed to the said Company his bond of even date herewith in the penal sum of \$1300.00 with condition that the said E. M. Wright shall, in strict compliance with the charter, rules, regulations, by-laws and usages of said Company and such amendments as shall be lawfully made thereto, pay to the said Company on the second Monday of November, 1897, and the 59 subsequent months, the sum of \$10.83 in gold each month, being the monthly dues on five shares of the capital stock of said Company which were held by said E. M. Wright and have been redeemed by said Company, and interest at the rate of six per centum per annum on the sum of \$500.00 for which said five shares were redeemed; and that the said E. M. Wright shall further pay all taxes, premiums of insurance, levies, assessments and other charges whatsoever upon the property hereby conveyed, all fees, costs, and expenses of any litigation touching this transaction, and all fines and other charges lawfully assessed against him, and shall faithfully perform all other obligations to the said Company, as provided by said charter and by-laws any any lawful amendments which shall be made thereto.

Now therefore this deed witnesseth, that in consideration of the premises, the said E. M. Wright doth grant unto the said parties of the second part, Trustees of the said Lynchburg Perpetual Building and Loan Company and their successors, the following property, to wit:

A certain lot of ground in the town of Madison, Amherst County, designated as Lot No. 135 on a plat recorded with a deed from J. Phil Shaner's Admr. to Axelia M. Abbott dated April 24, 1894, fronting 65 feet on Third Street, with a width of 70 feet at the rear, and with a depth of 125 feet on the western side, and of 149-1/2 feet on the opposite side, and being one of three lots conveyed to said E. M. Wright by Wm V. Wilson Jr. Admr. with the will annexed of J. Phil Shaner, decd. by deed dated April 15th, 1895, and recorded in Deed Book V.V. pp 362-3.

In trust to secure the faithful performance by the said E. M. Wright of each and all of the conditions, covenants and stipulations contained in the bond aforesaid and in this deed. It is further expressly covenanted and agreed:

- 1. That should the said E. M. Wright fail to pay any of the taxes, premiums of insurance, levies, assessments or other charges whatsoever upon the property hereby conveyed, or any fees, costs, expenses or other charges or payments so provided in said bond, whenever the same shall be due and payable, then the said Company may pay the same: and all sums so paid shall, with interest from date of payment, become a debt secured by said bond and this deed, and shall be payable at the maturity of the next regularly ensuing monthly instalment.
- 2. That the said party of the first part may retain quiet possession of said property so long as there shall be no default on his part in performing the

condition of said bond or in complying with the covenants therein or herein contained.

- 3. That upon any such default whether it be a breach of one only, or of several, or of all, of the said covenants or conditions - the said Trustees, or their successors in office, or any two of them, or their successors, shall, when thereto required by the Board of Directors of said Company, sell the property hereby conveyed, or so much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction on the premises, after having advertised the time and place of sale during a period of 10 days in one of the newspapers published in the City of Lynchburg, and also by hand-bills should the said Trustees think best, upon the following terms: For cash enough to pay all costs and expenses of executing this trust and the amounts then due and payable on account of said bond: and as to the residue of the purchase money on such terms, as to cash or credit, as the said Trustee may determine the credit payments, if any, to be secured by deed of trust upon the property. The proceeds of such sale shall be applied, first, to the to the payment of the costs and expenses of executing this trust; second, to the discharge of the obligation of said E. M. Wright under the said bond and this deed; and the residue, if any, shall be paid over to the said E. M. Wright, his heirs, personal representatives or assigns
- 4. The said E. M. Wright covenants, that he will warrant generally the property hereby conveyed: that he has the right to convey the same to the grantees: that he has done no act to encumber the same: that in case of a sale hereunder, the said grantees and their alienees shall have quiet possession of the said property, free from all incumbrances: and that he will execute such further assurances of said property as may be requisite.

Should there be no default, the said E. M. Wright shall be entitled to a proper deed of release at his own proper cost. Witness the following signature and seal.

E. M. Wright

State of Virginia: - City of Lynchburg - to wit:

I, Leon Goodman a Notary Public for the City aforesaiad in the State of Virginia, do certify that E. M. Wright whose name is signed to the writing hereto annexed bearing date on the 1st day of November 1897, has acknowledged the same before me in my City aforesaid

Given under my hand this 1st day of November 1897.

Leon Goodman N.P.

Virginia:

In the clerk's office of Amherst County Court, Nov. 2nd 1897. The foregoing writing was this received in said office and upon the annexed certificate of acknowledgment admitted to record

Teste: Wm Sandidge, Clerk"

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Edward Wright with the following household:

In (Cities House Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
		134	134	Edward Wright Mary F. Wright Ellen Abbot

Relation	Personal Description							
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On July 24, 1900, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. ZZ/358 E. M. Wright sold to W. G. Cooper Lot 135 in Madison, Virginia:

"This Deed made this the 24th day of July in the year 1900, by and between E. M. Wright, of the first part, and W. G. Cooper, of the second part.

Witnesseth: That for and in consideration of the sum of One Thousand and Fifty Dollars (\$1050), cash in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said party of the first part doth grant unto the said party of the second part with General Warranty the following property to Wit: A certain lot in the town of Madison, Amherst County, Virginia, situated on Third Street, and fronting on said Street Sixty-five feet with a width at the opposite end of seventy feet and a depth of one hundred and twenty five feet on one side and on the opposite side of One hundred and forty-nine and one half feet, being lot No. 135 in the plat made by M. H. Garland for Wm T. Wilson Jr. Administrator of J. Phil Shaner, decesed, Said plat is recorded with deed from said Wilson, Admr, to Adelia M. Abbott recorded in the Clerk's office of Amherst County Court.

Witness the following signature and seal.

U.S. Int. 50 E. M. Wright

Rev Stamp

U.S. Int. \$1.00 Rev Stamp

City of Lynchburg, To-Wit:

I L. C. Talbert a Notary Public in and for the City aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, do certify that E. M. Wright, whose name is signed to the above writing, bearing date on the 24th day of July, 1900, has this day acknowledged the same before me in my City aforesaid.

Given under my hand this the 24th day of July 1900.

L. C. Talbert, Notary Public

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Amherst County, August 13th, 1900. This deed was this day received in said Office and upon the certificate of acknowledgment thereto annexed was admitted to record.

Teste: W. E. Sandidge, Clerk."

The marriage record of Edward M. Wright and Annie L. Brook was dated on September 19, 1900, at Amherst County, Virginia, and listed the following information for the parties:

"Marriage License.

Virginia, Amherst County to wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Edward M. Wright and Annie L. Brook

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the County Court of Amherst County this 18th day of September 1900

W. E. Sandidge, Clerk.

Certificate to Obtain a Marriage License,

Time of Marriage, Sept 19, 1900
Place of Marriage, Madison
Full Names of Parties Married, Edward M. Wright & Annie L. Brook
Color, White
Age of Husband, 30 years
Age of Wife, 25 years
Condition of Husband, (widowed or single,) Single
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single,) Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Amherst Co., Va.
Place of Wife's Birth, Amherst Co., Va.
Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst Co., Va.
Place of Wife's Residence, Amherst Co., Va
Names of Husband's Parents, Benj. E. & Mary F. Wright

Given under my hand this 18th day of September, 1900.

Names of Wife's Parents, Geo. H. & Mary E. Brook

W. E. Sandidge, Clerk.

Minister's Return Of Marriage.

Occupation of Husband, Moulder

I, J. M. Willis, a Minister of the Baptist Church, or religious order of that name, do certify that on the 19th day of September 1900, at Madison Va, under authority of the above License, I united in Marriage the persons named and described therein.

Given under my hand this 19th day of September 1900

J. M. Willis"

On June 25, 1902, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. 52/184 E. M. Wright and Annie L. Wright sold to Mary Alice North and Calvin O. North a lot in Madison, Virginia:

"This Deed, made this 25th day of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two, between E. M. Wright and Annie L. Wright his wife, of the first part and Mary Alice North and Calvin O. North of the second part.

Witnesseth: That in consideration of the sum of Three hundred & twenty five dollars cash in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said E. M. Wright & Annie L. his Wife do grant unto the said Mary Alice North and Calvin O. North with right of survivorship to either the following property, to-wit: a certain house & lot in the town of Madison Amherst County, situated on Main

Street, being Lot "B" in the survey made by M. H. Garland of the Floyd property filed in the suit of Floyd vs Floyd & is the same property heretofore conveyed to E. M. Wright by J. P. Whitehead special Comr in the suit of Floyd vs Floyd & of record in the Clerks Office of Amherst Co, to which deed reference is here made for a more particular description.

The said parties of the first part covenant that they have the right to convey the said land to grantee; that they have done no act to encum the said land; that the grantee shall have quiet possession of the said land, free from all encumbrances, and that the said parties of the first part, will execute such further assurance of the said land as may be requisite.

Witness the following signatures and seals.

E. M. Wright Annie L. Wright

State of Virginia County of Amherst to wit:

I, Geo W. Huff, a Justice of the Peace for the County aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, do certify E. M. Wright and Annie L. Wright, whose names are signed to the within writing, bearing date on the 25th day of June 1902, have acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 25th day of June 1903.

Geo W. Huff, J.P.

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Amherst County, June 28th 1902. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the certificate of Acknowledgments thereto annexed admitted to record.

Teste:

W. E. Sandidge Clerk"

On November 30, 1903, at Amherst County, Virginia, D.B. 53/467 E. M. Wright and Annie L. Wright purchased from George A. and Mary E. Brook another lot in Madison, Virginia:

"This Deed, made this 30th day of November 1903, between George A. Brook and Mary E Brook his wife of the first part, and E. M. Wright and Annie L. Wright of the second part.

Witnesseth: That for and in consideration of the sum of \$400.00, cash in hand paid, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the parties of the first part doth grant, bargain and sell unto the parties of the second part the following property to wit:

A certain lot in the town of Madison Amherst County Virginia on Main St. between 4th & 5th Allies, and lying between the residence of George A. Brook and the lot of R. T. Butler, and fronting 72 ft. on Main St. and running back between parallel lines 172 ft.

The parties of the first part warrants generally the property hereby conveyed, that they have done no act to encumber the same, that the said parties of the second part shall have quiet possession of said land free from all encumbrances, and the parties of the first part shall execute such further assurances as may be requisite.

Witness the following signatures and seals.

Geo. H. Brook, M. E. Brook,

Virginia Amherst County To wit:

I, M. C. Kulp, a Justice of the Peace of Amherst County, do certify that George A. Brook and Mary E. Brook whose names are signed to the foregoing writing dated the 30th day of Nov. 1903, have acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 30th day of Nov. 1903.

M. C. Kulp J.P.

Virginia:

In the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Amherst County, December 4th 1903. This deed was this day received in said office and upon the certificate of Acknowledgments thereto annexed was admitted to record

Teste:

W. E. Sandidge, Clerk"

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the obituary of Edward Madison Wright was published on December 6, 1944, in The News, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Edward Madison Wright, 75, of 405 Main street, Madison Heights, died at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning at Memorial Hospital after a long illness. Born November 25, 1872, in Amherst County, he was the son of Benjamin Wright and Mrs. Mary Rogers Wright. Mr. Wright was justice of the peace in Amherst County for 14 years and is a former employee of Lynchburg Foundry. He was a member of Madison Heights Methodist Church and of Marshall Lodge of Masons and the Junior Order of Mechanics.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Annie Brook Wright, a daughter, Mrs. C. H. Crews, of Madison Heights, a son, Staff Sgt. E. M. Wright, Jr., a brother, Frank B. Wright, of Madison Heights, two sisters, Mrs. Mollie Stephens and Mrs. R. B. Wright, of Lynchburg, and five grandchildren."

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods enclosed family group sheets which stated that Edward M. Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Francis (_____) Wright, was born in November 1869 at Appomattox County, Virginia, resided in 1870, 1880, and 1900 at Amherst County, Virginia, married Annie L. Brook on September 18, 1900, at Amherst County, Virginia, resided in 1910 and 1920 at Amherst County, Virginia, and died after 1935, and that Edward M. Wright and Annie L. (Brook) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Muriel M. (Wright) Crews, born in 1902, and
- 2) Edward M. Wright, born in 1909.

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that Edward Madison Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, was born on November 25, 1869, at Appomattox County, Virginia, married Annie L. Brook on October 18, 1900, was a foundry superintendent, served as constable for Madison Heights, died on December 5, 1944, at Amherst County, Virginia, and was buried at Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia, that Annie L. (Brooks) Wright was born on May 26, 1875, was a school teacher in Madison Heights, Virginia, died on January 2, 1947, and was buried at Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia, and that Edward Madison Wright and Annie L. (Brooks) Wright had the following children:

1) Muriel Manning (Wright) Crews, born on July 18, 1901, at Amherst County, Virginia,

- 2) Asbury Brook Wright, born on August 30, 1904, at Amherst County, Virginia, and
- 3) Edward Madison Wright, born on June 16, 1909, at Amherst County, Virginia.
 - xi. 1954 Frank Boggs Wright Of Amherst County, His
 Wife Amanda Elizabeth (Smith) Wright, And His
 Descendants

1954 Frank Boggs Wright of Amherst County was a son of 1880 Benjamin Edward Wright of Amherst County and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³, 1880 Benjamin Edward⁴)

The 1880 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Frank Wright in the Benjamin E. Wright household on June 2, 1880, and his age as 7 and born in Virginia, indicating a date of birth in about 1873.

The marriage record of Frank Boggs Wright and Amanda Elizabeth Smith was dated on January 16, 1895, at Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Marriage License.

Virginia - City of Lynchburg to-wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Frank Boggs Wright and Amanda Elizabeth Smith

Given under my hand, as Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Lynchburg this 15th day of January 1895.

S G Wingfield Clerk.

Certificate To Obtain A Marriage License,

Time of Marriage, January 16, 1895
Place of Marriage, Amherst Co Va
Full Names of Parties married, Frank Boggs Wright and Amanda Elizabeth Smith
Color, White
Age of Husband, 22 years
Age of Wife, 21 years

Condition of Husband, (widowed or single) Single
Condition of Wife, (widowed or single) Single
Place of Husband's Birth, Amherst Co Va
Place of Wife's Birth, Lynchburg Va
Place of Husband's Residence, Amherst Co Va
Place of Wife's Residence, Lynchburg Va
Names of Husband's Parents, Benjamin and Mary Wright
Names of Wife's Parents, Joseph and Rhoda Smith
Occupation of Husband, Locomotive Fireman

Given under my hand, this 15th day of January 1895

S G Wingfield Clerk.

Minister's Return of Marriage.

I Certify, That on the 16th day of January 1895, at Madison I united in Marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of annexed License.

J. O. Babcock"

This record indicates that Frank Boggs Wright was born in about 1873 and that Amanda Elizabeth (Smith) Wright was born in about 1874.

The 1900 Census for Amherst County, Virginia, listed Frank A. Wright with the following household:

		Location		
In (Cities House Number	Number of dwelling houses in the order of visitation	Number of family in the order of visition	Name of each person whose place of abode on June 1, 1900, was in this family.
		135	135	Frank A Wright Amanda Wright Edgar J. Wright Myrtle V Wright

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In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the obituary of Frank Boggs Wright was published on April 27, 1954, in The News, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Frank Boggs Wright, 81, died at his home, 410 Main St., Madison Heights, yesterday afternoon at 4:30 after a long illness. Born June 27, 1872 at Walker's Ford, he was a son of the late Benjamin Franklin [sic] Wright and Mary Frances Rogers Wright. He was a retired conductor for Norfolk and Western Railroad. He was a member of Madison Heights Methodist Church. He was also a member of Marshall Lodge of Masons No. 39 and the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and Conductors. He retired from the Norfolk and Western Railroad in March, 1947 after more than 52 years of service.

In 1895 he married to Amanda Smith who survives him. In addition to his wife he is survived by the following children: Edgar James Wright, Mrs. Edgar E. White, and Miss Nell E. Wright, all of Madison Heights; and Frank B. Wright, Jr., Lynchburg; 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at Madison Heights Methodist Church Wednesday at 4 p.m. with burial in Fort Hill Burial Park. The body will be taken from Diuguid's Memorial Chapel to the home this afternoon and will be carried to the church one hour before the service Wednesday."

In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the holographic will of Amanda E. Wright was dated on July 7, 1955, and provided as follows:

"Madison Heights Va July 7 - 1955

After I have past away, this is what I want done. As all the children have their own homes, and Nell has been with me and taken care of me, I would like for her to have the home and all the contents to do as she pleases with it, except my sewing machine, which I would like for my daughter-in-law Minnie Wright to have. I want Myrte to have one \$1,000 dollers. if I have any debts, I want them paid. if there is any money left, I want Nell and Myrtle to devide it with each other. I have taken care of Edgar and Frank as best I could. I know they will be more than satsifide. What I have done for I love all of you all the same.

Your mother Amanda E. Wright Mrs Frank B. Wright, Sr P.S. There are two envelops, one for Edgar and one for Frank." In his email dated March 9, 2005, James W. Wright enclosed a family report which stated that the obituary of Amanda Elizabeth Wright was published in The News, Lynchburg, Virginia:

"Mrs. Amanda Smith Wright, 101, of 503 Church St. in Madison Heights, died Tuesday night at her home after a long illness. Her husband was the late Frank B. Wright.

Born in Campbell County, she was the daughter of the late Joseph Smith and Rhoda Chenault Smith. She was a member of Madison Heights Methodist Church.

She is survived by one son, Frank B. Wright Jr. of Lynchburg; two daughters, Mrs. Myrtle White and Miss Nellie E. Wright, both of Madison Heights; 10 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren and four great, great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at Madison Heights United Methodist Church. Interment will be in Fort Hill Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends at Virginia Funeral Chapel today and Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m., and at other times at the residence."

In her letters dated August 20, 1992, and September 26, 1992, Marcia L. Woods
enclosed family group sheets which stated that Frank B. Wright was a son of Benjamin
Edward Wright and Mary Francis () Wright, was born in June 1872 at Appomattox
County, Virginia, resided in 1880 and 1900 at Amherst County, Virginia, married
Amanda in about 1906 (1896?), resided in 1910 and 1920 at Amherst County,
Virginia, and died after 1935, that Amanda () Wright was born in 1874, and that
Frank B. Wright and Amanda () Wright had the following children:

- 1) Edgar J. Wright, born in 1897,
- 2) Myrtle V. (Wright) White, born in 1898, and
- 3) Nellie Wright, born in 1908.

In his emails dated October 26, 2004, and March 9, 2005, James Wayne Wright enclosed a family report which stated that Frank Boggs Wright was a son of Benjamin Edward Wright and Mary Frances (Rogers) Wright, was born on June 27, 1872, at Appomattox County, Virginia, married Amanda Elizabeth Smith on January 16, 1895, at Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia, began work in March 1894 for the Norfolk

& Western Railroad as a brakeman, worked as a fireman from October 1894 until April 1896, returned to the position of brakeman, was promoted on January 2, 1904, to freight conductor and on March 26, 1908, to passenger conductor and remained such until his retirement in 1946, was an avid gardener, died on April 26, 1954, and was buried at Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia, that Amanda Elizabeth (Smith) Wright was born on March 2, 1873, at Campbell County, Virginia, was a member of the Madison Heights United Methodist Church, died on January 21, 1975, and was buried at Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia, and that Frank Boggs Wright and Amanda Elizabeth (Smith) Wright had the following children:

- 1) Edgar James Wright, born on April 12, 1897, at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 2) Myrtle Virginia (Wright) White, born on March 27, 1899, at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 3) Nellie Elizabeth Wright, born on April 12, 1908, at Amherst County, Virginia,
- 4) Frank Boggs Wright, Jr., born on November 18, 1912, at Amherst County, Virginia.

d. David M. Wright

David M. Wright was a son of 1881 William P. Wright of Appomattox County and Helena (____) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², 1881 William P.³)

The 1851 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on February 26:

Dates of		White males	Male free	Slaves
receiving	Persons Charge-	above 16	negroes above	above 16
<u>lists</u>	able With Tax	<u>years of age</u>	16 years of age	years of age

Feby 26 David M Wright 1

Slaves	Horses	Value of four-wheel and two wheel riding or plea-
above twelve	Mules	sure carriages, jersey wagons or carryalls and
years of age	<u>&c</u>	stage coaches, with harness belonging thereto

	Gold vatches	Patent or lepin	е	Other watches	Metallic clocks	Other clocks		es	Plate over the value of \$50
fi	W Paying co ive ch	orneys ho practourt of apparted of apparte	opeals, e with	Physiciar surgeons resident o	and	money notes money	/s loaned or other s	out, o securit purch	nase, includ-
n re	Am't yearly noney ove eceived a or as fees	er \$400, s salarie	fe s &c, ye	ridges and erries - ame early of rer alue over \$	ount Vant or un	alue of dicense liard ta	the ed an	e age o d unde	e negroes of of 81 years er 55 years, o tax of \$1
<u>C</u>	otal amou of tax Oollars Ce		Am't of toounty pollars	tax for ourposes Cents	as to	appra	specially isement by freeho		
Т	he 1852	Persona	l Propert	1. Wright w	for Appo	mattox	•		
E re	Dates of eceiving	Persor	ns Charg	ı househol e-	Free m above	ales 16	Slaves above 16	3 (White males of 21 years
	sts ⁄/ay 20		<u>/ith Tax</u> M. Wrigh	 nt	<u>years o</u> 1		years of	<u>age</u> (of age
n ti	Male free negroes be he ages o and 55 yea	f 21	attained	who have I the age ears, and s	Horses Mules, <u>& Jenna</u> <u>No.</u>	Asses,	Cattle, S & Hogs No.	•	<u>Carriages</u>

			Carria	ges [C	Continue	ed]			
Stage	Coaches	Jersey	<u>/ Wagons</u>	Carr	yalls	Bug	gies	Gigs	
No.	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	No.	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>

Watches						Clocks				
<u> </u>	iold Value	Metalli No. \		Silver other I No.	or <u>Metallic</u> <u>Value</u>	Othe No.	er Value	Pian and No.	<u>Plate</u> <u>Value</u>	
and	sehold Kitchen <u>iture Valı</u>	pe	her articersonal paced in t	roperty		secui	unt of so rities t from am	o, afte	r deduct	ing
Am't of capital (other than the value of the real estate) invested or used in a manufacturing or other unlicensed trade or business except agriculture Interest or profits over \$ arising from bonds or certificates of this or any other state or country, or of any public corporation, created by this or any other state.						other orpor-				
in me from	unt of inconey ove salary, for vances,&	r \$100 ees,	of yea	of toll-b	or annu	sh	mount o neep and operty in	d hogs,	or pers	
dedu	regate of acting exe raced in t	emption	s	Amou of tax	ınt foi	nount o county rposes	, E	lemark specia reeho	_	

The 1853 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on June 11:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male persons above the age of 16 years	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years
June 11	David M Wright	1	

White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity	Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years	Slaves who have attained the age of 12 years	Horses mules, asses and jennets No. Value
1			
Cattle, Pleasure carriages sheep coaches, jersey wa and hogs carryalls, gigs and No. Value No.	agons,		Pianos <u>and Harps</u> No. Value
All gold and silver All househo plate and jewelry kitchen furn Value No.	<u>iture</u> all monie	te amount of es, solvent bond s and liquidated	
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining busine for which no license is required	ess evidences	moneys, bonds of debt under th t, receiver or co	ne control
The capital of all incorporated jo companies other than banks of and internal improvement comp of all insurance companies and institutions, which declare no div	circulation anies, and savings	Aggregate val the personal p and the am't o bonds or claim improvement	oroperty of moneys, of internal
		nt of interest or bonds or certif	•
Amount of dividends Yearly of declared by insurance or value companies and tollbridg savings institutions and ferm	e of of tax on ges all person	Amount of tax for county purposes	<u>Remarks</u>

.40

The 1854 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on February 28:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male above the 16 years	•	attai	es who have ned the age 3 years
Feby 28	David M. Wright		1			
have attain years, exc	e inhabitants who ned the age of 21 ept those exempted ion on account of mity		the ages	Slaves when have attain the age of years	ned 1	Horses mules, asses and jennets No. Value
	1					
Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriage coaches, jersey w carryalls, gigs and No.	agons,	Watches No. Val		_	Pianos and Harps No. Value
All gold ar plate and Valu	jewelry kitchen fur		all monie	te amount es, solvent es and liquid	bonds	
manufactu	vested or used in any uring, or mining busin no license is required	ess e	evidences	moneys, b of debt und rt, receiver	der the	
companies and intern of all insur	al of all incorporated jobs other than banks of all improvement compance companies and so which declare no di	circulatior panies, and savings	d		nal pr m't of claims	operty
not embra	rticles of personal proced in this list, nor exand other sections of	empted	Aggrega of values		fees	Amount of income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

.40

The 1855 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on February 15:

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	Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax		Free male above the 16 years	•	atta	es whe ined th 6 years	-
	Feby 15	David M. Wright		1				
	have attain years, exce	e inhabitants who led the age of 21 lept those exempted on on account of mity		ee negroes n the ages nd 55		ned		s , asses <u>nnets</u> <u>Value</u>
		1					1	25
	Cattle, sheep <u>and hogs</u> <u>No.</u> <u>Value</u>		agons,		_			os <u>Harps</u> <u>Value</u>
	All gold and plate and je	ewelry <u>kitchen furr</u>		all monie	te amount es, solvent s and liquid	bond	-	<u>5</u>
	manufactu	ested or used in any ring, or mining busing o license is required	ess	Amount of evidences of any cou	of debt und	der th	e conti	rol

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys. bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Aggregate of values

Amount of all fees of office

Amount of income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects Amount of tax for

county purposes Remarks

.56

The 1856 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on March 15:

Date of receiving Persons Chargelists able With Tax

Free male persons Slaves who have above the age of attained the age 16 years of 16 years

March 15 David M. Wright 1

White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity

Male free negroes Slaves who between the ages have attained mules, asses of 21 and 55 years____

the age of 12 and jennets years

Horses No. Value

1

Cattle, Pleasure carriages, stage sheep coaches, jersey wagons, and hogs carryalls, gigs and buggies Watches

<u>and hogs</u> <u>carryalls, gigs and buggies</u> <u>Watches</u> <u>Clocks</u> <u>and Harps</u> <u>No. Value</u> <u>No. Value</u> <u>No. Value</u> <u>No. Value</u>

All gold and silver All household and plate and jewelry Value No. Value

Aggregate amount of all monies, solvent bonds, securities and liquidated claims

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

Pianos

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Amount
Aggregate of all fees Amount of of values of office income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

.80

The 1857 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on February 20:

Date of receiving Persons Charge-lists able With Tax	Free male pe above the agon 16 years					
Feby 20 David M Wright	1					
White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity						
1		1 15				
Cattle, Pleasure carriages coaches, jersey wand hogs carryalls, gigs and No. Value No.	agons,	Pianos <u>Clocks</u> <u>and Harps</u> <u>No. Value</u> <u>No. Value</u>				
All gold and silver All househousehousehousehousehousehousehouse	<u>iiture</u> all monies,	amount of solvent bonds, and liquidated claims				
Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining busine for which no license is required	ess evidences of o	oneys, bonds or other debt under the control receiver or commissioner				
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies						
All other articles of personal pronot embraced in this list, nor ex by the 3d and other sections of imposing taxes	empted	Amount of all fees Amount of of office income				

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for

county purposes Remarks

.90

The 1858 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on February 2:

				Titha	bles
Date of			Free male	•	Slaves who have
receiving	Persons Charge-		above the	age of	attained the age
<u>lists</u>	able With Tax		16 years		of 16 years
Feby 2	David M Wright		1		
White mak	e inhabitants who				
	ned the age of 21	Male fr	ee negroes	Slaves wh	no Horses
	ept those exempted		en the ages	have atta	
from taxati	on on account of	of 21 a	nd 55	the age o	f 12 and jennets
bodily infir	mity	years		years	No. Value
	1				
	•				
0.44					
Cattle,	Pleasure carriage				Pianos
sheep <u>and hogs</u>	coaches, jersey v carryalls, gigs and	•	s Watche	s Clock	
No. Value		Value			<u>Value</u> <u>No. Value</u>
	<u> </u>			 -	
			_		_
All gold an				ate amount	
<u>plate and j</u> Valu				es, solvent	bonds, dated claims
vait	ie valu	<u> </u>	Securine	s and nyun	ualeu Ciaiiiis
Capital inv	ested or used in any	,	Amount of	moneys, b	onds or other
manufacturing, or mining business					der the control
for which no license is required			of any cou	<u>rt, receiver</u>	or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Aggregate of values

Amount of all fees of office

Amount of income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for

county purposes Remarks

.80

The 1859 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on February 5:

			Tithab	les		
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free male above the 16 years	•	atta	ves wh ined th 6 year	_
Feby 5	David M Wright	1				
White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity		Male free negroes between the ages of 21 and 55 years		ned	Horse mules and je	, asses

1

Cattle, Pleasure carriages, stage coaches, jersey wagons, and hogs carryalls, gigs and buggies

<u>and hogs</u> <u>carryalls, gigs and buggies</u> <u>Watches</u> <u>Clocks</u> <u>and Harps</u> <u>No. Value</u> <u>No. Value</u> <u>No. Value</u> <u>No. Value</u> <u>No. Value</u>

All gold and silver plate and jewelry Value

All household and kitchen furniture

Value

Aggregate amount of all monies, solvent bonds, securities and liquidated claims

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing, or mining business for which no license is required

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends or profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds or claims of internal improvement companies

Pianos

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Amount
Aggregate of all fees Amount of of values of office income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Remarks

.80

The 1860 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on February 6:

			Tithal	bles		
Date of receiving lists	Persons Charge- able With Tax	Free mal above the 16 years	e persons e age of	Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years		
Feby 6	David M Wright	1				
White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years, except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity Male free negroes Slaves who Horses between the ages have attained mules, asset and jennets years years No. Value						
Cattle, Pleasure carriages, stage sheep coaches, jersey wagons, Pianos and hogs carryalls, gigs and buggies No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value						
All gold an plate and j Valu	ewelry kitchen furni		monies, s	e amount of all solvent bonds, sec- d liquidated claims		
manufactu	ested or used in any ring, or mining busine no license is required	of debt und	onds or other der the control or commissioner			
companies and interna of all insur	I of all incorporated jo s other than banks of al improvement comp ance companies and s, which declare no di	circulation panies, and savings	the perso and the a bonds or	e value of onal property am't of moneys, claims of internal nent companies		

All other articles of personal property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes

Amount Aggregate of all fees

of values of office Amount of income

Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt____

Amount of dividends declared by insurance companies and savings institutions

Yearly rent or value of tollbridges and ferries

Amount of tax on all person and subjects

Amount of tax for county purposes

Total amount of bonds issued by the State of Virginia held 1st February 1860. This column is only to obtain information

Remarks

.80

The 1860 Land Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed William W. Wright and Benjamin E. Wright with the following property:

Name Of Owner

Residence

Estate whether held in Fee simple, life &c Acres

No. of

Benjamin E Wright & Wm W Wright

Resident

Fee

Description of the land as to watercourses mountains and contiguous tracts

Distance and bearing from the courthouse

Value of land per acre, including buildings

Sum added to the land on account of buildings

all the interest of David M Wright in a tract of land owned by Helenner Wright All the interest of Richard T Wright in the same tract

Total value of the land and buildings

Name

of tract

Amount of tax on the whole tract, at the legal rate

Amount of tax for county purposes

Explanation of alterations during the preceding year, especially from whom transferred

This record indicates that Benjamin E. Wright and William W. Wright had purchased the interest of David M. Wright in the estate of Helena Wright. In conjunction with the 1860 Census set forth below and the death record of Benjamin E. Wright set forth above, this record indicates that David M. Wright was a son of William P. Wright and Helena (____) Wright.

The 1860 Census for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright in the William W. Wright household:

<u>Name</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Sex</u>	Color	<u>Occu</u>	<u>oation</u>	Value of <u>Real Estate</u>
Wm. W. Wright Elizabeth I. Wright Richard T. Wright Robert B. Wright Silie F. Wright David M. Wright		39 23 36 5 1 29	M F M M F	Farmer Wife Laborer Laborer		\$800	
Value of Personal <u>Property</u> \$255	Place of Birth Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia Virginia	Wi	arried ithin ear	Attend School <u>Withir</u>		Cannot Read & Write	Deaf Dumb Blind Insane etc.

This record indicates that David M. Wright was born in about 1831.

The 1861 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household on February 25:

		White males, male free negroes and		
		slaves, ascertained for state taxes		
		Number of white	Number of male	
		male inhabitants	free negroes	
		who have attained	above the age of	
	Names of Persons	the age of 21 years,	21 years, taxed	
	Charged With Taxes	taxed at 80 cents	at 80 cents	
Feb 25th	David M Wright	1		

White males, male free negroes and slaves, ascertained for state taxes for state taxes [cont'd]

Property and capital taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollars value

free negroes above the age of 21 years taxed at \$1

Number of male Number of slaves of both sexes who have attained the age of 12 years, taxed at \$1.20

Horses, mules, asses and jennets, with their number and value No. Value

Pleasure carriages, coaches, jersey wagons, carryalls, gigs and buggies with the number and value No. Value

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

2

Cattle Sheep No. Value No. Value

Hogs No. Value

Watches No. Value

Clocks <u>No.</u> **Value**

15

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Value of all gold and silver plate **Pianos**

No. Value and jewelry

Aggregate value of all household and Value

Aggregate amount of all moneys, contracts for money or other thing, solvent bonds, securities, liquidated and Harps plated ware kitchen furniture claims and credits whether in or out of the state

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Amount of moneys, bonds, contracts, or other evidences of debt, under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or invested, or employed in any trade or business, for which no license is required

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal companies, which pay taxes on passengers and freight), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends of profits

Aggregate value of the personal property moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Property and capital, taxed at the uniform rate of forty cents on every hundred dollar value [Cont'd]

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, not exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value

15

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income where the taxes are scaled according to amount received

Fees received, and salaries or income, not more than \$250, taxed at half of one per centum Fees received, and salaries or income which are more than \$250, and not more than \$500, taxed at one per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income, which are more than \$500 and not more than \$100 taxed at 1½ per centum

Fees received, and salaries or income over \$1000, taxed at 2 per centum

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges

Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of this or any other state, or whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia) and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend taxed and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent or annual value of toll Total bridges amount or ferries, of state taxed at taxes on 6 per centum all subjects

.86

For county levy

		·	Amount levied on slaves, land and other property,	
Number of	Male free		assessed with state taxes,	
white males	negroes	Slaves of	being per cent, on such	
above	above	both sexes	taxes, levied according to	Total levy
the age	the age	over 16	the 33d chapter of the	persons and
of 16 years	of 16 years	years of age	Code of Virginia	property

The 1862 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household:

Names of Persons **Charged With Taxes** White males and free negroes, ascertained state taxes Number of white male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years

Number of male free negroes above the age of 21 years

David M. Wright

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate Number and Horses, mules Pleasure carriages, asses and jennets coaches, jersey wagons, value of slaves with their number carryalls, gigs and buggies of all ages and with their number and value both sexes and value Cattle No. Value No. Value No. Value Value

No.

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Sheep Hoas Watches Clocks Pianos and Harps No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value No. Value

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate Aggregate amount of all Amount of moneys, Value of value of moneys, contracts for bonds, contracts, all housemoney or other thing, solor other evidences of all gold vent bonds, securities, liquiand silver hold and debt, under the control plate plated kitchen dated claims, and credits, of any court, receiver ware jewelry furniture whether in or out of the state or commissioner

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or invested, or employed in any no license is required

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal companies, which pay taxes on passengers and trade or business, for which frieght), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions which declare no dividends of profits

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies, except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Total value of all property taxed under this general head at the rate of 40 cents on every hundred dollar value Fees of office received, and salaries or other income - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500 On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state taxed at 6½ per centum

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges [Cont'd]

Amount of dividends declared by banks and savings banks or institutions (not incorporated by the state of Virginia), and to be charged to the person receiving the dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum

Yearly rent or annual value of toll bridges or ferries, taxed at 6 per centum on all subjects

Total amount of state taxes

1.20

For county levy							
			Amount levied on slaves, land	i			
Number	Male free	Slaves	and other property assessed				
of white	negroes	of both	with state taxes being _ per	Total levy			
males above	above	sexes over	cent on such taxes, levied	on persons			
the age of	the age of	16 years	according to the 53d chap-	and			
of 16 years	16 years	of age	ter of the Code of Virginia	property			

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The 1863 Personal Property Tax List for Appomattox County, Virginia, listed David M. Wright with the following household:

	White males and free negroes,	ascertained state taxes
	Number of white male	Number of male free
Names of Persons	inhabitants who have	negroes above the
Charged With Taxes	attained the age of 21 years	age of 21 years

David M Wright

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate						
Number and	Horses	s, mules	Pleasure c	arriages,		
value of slaves asses and jennets		coaches, jersey wagons,				
of all ages and	with their number			igs and buggies		
both sexes	and va	alue	with their n	<u>number and value</u>	C	attle
No. <u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>	No.	<u>Value</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Value</u>

	Property and c	apital taxed at	<u>a uniform rate</u>	[Cont'd]
Sheep	Hogs	<u>Watches</u>	Clocks	Pianos and Harps
No. Value	No. Value	No. Value	No. Value	No. <u>Value</u>

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Value of all gold and silver plate plated ware jewelry value of all household and kitchen furniture

Aggregate Aggregate amount of all moneys, contracts for money or other thing, solvent bonds, securities, liquidated claims, and credits, whether in or out of the state Amount of moneys, bonds, contracts, or other evidences of debt, under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Capital invested or used in any manufacturing or mining business or inno license is required

Capital of all incorporated joint stock companies (other than banks of circulation and internal improvement companies and rail road and canal vested, or employed in any companies, which pay taxes on passengers and trade or business, for which frieght), and of all insurance companies and savings institutions which declare no dividends of profits

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Aggregate value of the personal property, moneys, bonds, and claims of internal improvement companies, except the equipments and property, other than slaves, of a rail road or canal company which pays a tax on passengers and freight companies

Value of all articles of personal property not in terms embraced in any of the foregoing columns, nor exempted from taxation

Fees of clerks and all other officers, which are solvent and not collected within the year

Property and capital taxed at a uniform rate [Cont'd]

Total value of all property general head

Fees of office received, and salaries or other income taxed under this - only so much to be listed as exceeds \$500 On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges Amount of interest or profit received from state, city or other public bonds, whether they be of any city or corporation created by this state or any other state

On interest or profits received from public bonds and from toll bridges [Cont'd]

Amount of dividends declared by banks	•
and savings banks or institutions (not	
incorporated by the state of Virginia), and	
to be charged to the person receiving the	
dividend, and and taxed at 6½ per centum	;

Yearly rent or annual value of toll bridges or ferries, taxed of state taxes at 6 per centum on all subjects

Total amount

2.00

For county levy					
		_	Amount levied on slaves, land	i	
Number	Male free	Slaves	and other property assessed		
of white	negroes	of both	with state taxes being _ per	Total levy	
males above	above	sexes over	cent on such taxes, levied	on persons	
the age of	the age of	16 years	according to the 53d chap-	and	
of 16 years	16 years	of age	ter of the Code of Virginia	property	

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5. Leonard H. Wright, His Wife Bettie Lee (Patterson) Wright, And His **Descendants**

Leonard H. Wright was a son of Charles Wright and Rachel (Doss)

Wright. (Robert¹, Charles²)

The 1829 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Leonard Wright with the following household on February 12:

Date of receiving lists of Individuals	Persons names Chargeable with Tax	Number of white males <u>above 16</u>	Blacks above 16 years old	Horses Mares Colts & <u>Mules</u>
Feby 12th	Leonard Wright	1		1

	Stud	Rate of			
Free Negroes	Horses and	covering	Riding	Value of R	Amount of
<u>& Mulattoes</u>	Jack Asses	per season	<u>Carriages</u>	<u>Carriages</u>	the Tax

.10

As will be set forth below, Leonard H. Wright was born in about 1810 and, therefore, would have been about 19 years of age at the time of this list.

The 1831 Personal Property Tax List for Campbell County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on February 2:

Date of	Persons Names	Number of	Blacks	Blacks
receiving lists	chargeable	white males	above 12	above 16
<u>of Individuals</u>	with Tax	<u>above 16 yrs</u>	<u>years old</u>	<u>years old</u>

Febuary 2nd Leonard H Wright 1

Horses		Stud	Rate of			
Mares	Free	horses	cover-		Value of	
Colts &	Negroes &	& Jack	ing per	Riding	Riding	Amount
<u>Mules</u>	Mulattoes	asses	Season	<u>Carriages</u>	<u>Carriages</u>	of Tax

The 1835 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on May 16:

Date of Receiving <u>Lists</u>	Names of Pe Chargeable v the Tax		White <u>Tithes</u>	Slaves over 12 <u>years of age</u>	Horses Mares Mules <u>& Colts &c</u>
May 16	Leonard H W	/right	1		
Riding Carria		Amount c	of Revenue		

The 1836 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed

Date of receiving List 1836	Names of Persons Chargeable with the Tax	White males above 16 yrs	Blacks above <u>16 years</u>	Blacks between 12 & 16 yrs
Mar 14	Leonard Wright	1		

Horses, Mares, Coaches & other Riding Sum Total Colts &c Carriages Stallions &c of Taxes

Leonard Wright with the following household on March 14:

The 1838 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on April 5:

Date of Receiving <u>List</u>		White Males over 16 years	Slaves over 16 <u>years</u>	Slaves between 12 <u>& 16 years</u>	
Apl 5	Leonard H Wright	1			
	Revenue				
The 1920 Demond Droporty Tay List for Buckingham County Virginia listed					

The 1839 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on March 12:

Date of receiving	Names of Persons Chargeable with the Tax	White Males over <u>16 years</u>	Slaves over 16 <u>years</u>	Slaves between 12 & 16
Mar 12	Leonard H Wright	1	1	
Horses Mule	s, Coaches Pleasure			

Revenue

The 1840 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonerd H. Wright with the following household on April 4:

Carriages Stallions &c

Date of Receiving <u>List</u>	Persons names chargeable with the Tax	White Males over 16 years	Slaves over 16 <u>years</u>	Slaves between 12 <u>& 16 years</u>
April 4	Leonerd H Wright	1	3	
Horses mules <u>Colts &c</u>	Coaches, pleasure carriages, Carryalls, Stage coaches, stallions Jacks &c &c		_	
1		.98	}	

colts &c

The 1840 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household:

Names of <u>Heads of Families</u>	Free W Person <u>Males</u>		Free W Person <u>Female</u>	S	
Leonard H. Wright	1 2	30-4 20-3			
Free Colored Persons Male Age	Free Colored Persons Female		aves ales Age	Slaves <u>Females</u> <u>Age</u>	
			1 100+ 1 10-24	1 36-55	
Number of Persons in each Family Employed in Navi- Navigation of					
Total Mining Agri	culture Commer	Manufa ce and trac	9		
6	1	4		1	
Learned profes- ary or Military Services sions and engineers Pensioners for Revolution- Deaf and Dumb, Blind and Insane White Persons included in the Foregoing Deaf and Dumb Blind No. Ages					
Deaf and Dumb, Blind and Insane White Persons in the Foregoing [Continued] Insane and Idiots Insane and Insane and idiots at idiots at public charge private charge Deaf and Dumb, Blind and Insane Colored Persons Included in the Foregoing Deaf, Dumb, Insane and Insane and Insane and Insane and Deaf & idiots at Dumb Blind private charge					

	Schools, &c.					
				Primary		No. of
Univer-		Academies		and		Scholars
sities or	Number of	& Grammar	No. of	Common	No. of	at pub-
<u>College</u>	<u>Students</u>	Schools	<u>Scholars</u>	<u>Schools</u>	<u>Scholars</u>	lic charge

No. of white persons over 90 years of age in each family who cannot read or write

This record indicates that Leonard H. Wright was born between 1800 and 1810.

The 1841 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on March 23:

Dates of receiving lists from individuals	Persons r chargeabl with Tax		No of white males above 16 years	Slaves above <u>sixteen</u>	Slaves above 12 <u>under 16</u>
Mar 23	Leonard H	H Wright	1	3	
Mules Colts i	Carriages including <u>Harness</u>	Amount of Tax			
1		1.32½			

The 1842 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on April 14:

Lists of individuals		Persons names chargeable with Tax		No of White Males above the age of 16 years		No of Slaves over 16 years old	No of Slaves over 12 and under 16 years old	
Apl 14	Leon	ard H Wright			1	2		
No of Horses Mares, Mules Colts, and Fi	S	Riding or Pleasure <u>Carriages</u>	& O Wat	ches	Metallic <u>Clocks</u>	Piano <u>Fortes</u>	Amount Tax in \$ ¢	
			S V	V 1			1.05	

The 1843 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on May 13:

Date of receiving lis from individ 1843		f Persons	White Males over 16 <u>years ol</u>	Slave over over <u>d</u> <u>years</u>	of 12 & 16 under 16
May 13	Leonard I	H Wright	1		
Horses Mules <u>&c &c &c</u>	Riding Carriages <u>&c &c</u>	<u>Watches</u>	<u>Clocks</u>	<u>Pianos</u>	
					Revenue

The 1844 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on March 26:

Date of receiving Lists	Name of Owner	White male over 16 years old	ov	aves er 16 <u>ars old</u>	Slaves of 12 & under 16 years old
Mch 26	Leonard H Wright	1			
Horses, Mule Colts &c	s, Pleasure Carriages, Stage Coaches &c	Watches	Clocks	Piano <u>Fortes</u>	Gold & <u>Silver Plate</u>

Yearly income Ferry Revenue Tax Lawyers Physicians Interest over 400 dollars Boats in \$ & cts

The 1846 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on April 22:

	Persons Cha With Tax	rgeable 	White male above 16 years of ac	above 16	Slaves above 12 years of age		
Apr 22	Leonard H W	right/	1				
mules, ca	wheel pleasure rriages, and rness, and val	value, in	clud- and	harness, carria	eel pleasure ges and ss, and value		
Gold	Patent lever or lepine silver watches			Other Pianos, locks and value	Plate over the value of \$50		
ing specific	tax and am't specific tax, and tax, and interest, profits or dividends						
Am't of mor income ove received as or fees of or	r \$400,	ridges- n't of yearly nt or value ver \$100	Ferries- am't of yea rent or value over \$100	• •			
The 1848 P	•	•	•	am County, Virgir	nia, listed		
Persons Ch With Tax	argeable	White males above 16 years of age	Slaves above 16 years of a	Slaves above 12 age years of ag	Horses, mules, e &c.		
Leonard W	right	1					
4 wheel ple carriages, a <u>harness, ar</u>	ind va	ages and llue includ- g harness	Carryalls and harn and value		and		

	Gold watches	Patent leve or lepine silver watch	Other	Metallic clocks	Other clocks	Pianos, and value	Plate over the value of \$50
	Attorneys ing specif tax and a of tax	ic surged m't specifi	ons paying ing ic tax, and tax	ntists pay- specific , and ount of tax	loaned of acquired interest,	Int. or profits out, or on bo d by purchas , profits or div or corporat'	nds e, including vidends
	income o	onied yearly ver \$400, as salaries office	Bridges- am't of yearly rent or value over \$100	Ferries- am't of y rent or v over \$10	early pralue pr	ewspaper inting esses, and mount of tax	Total am't of tax Dollars Cents
							.10
_			operty Tax List		gham Co	unty, Virginia	a, listed
Leona	ard H. Wrig	ght with the fo	ollowing housel	nold: Male fre	e Slave	es Slaves	
	Persons (Chargeable	White males above 16 years of age	negroes above		e above ears 12 year	Horses s mules, &c.
	Leonard \	Wright	1				1
	4 wheel p carriages harness,		Stages and value, including harness	Carrya and ha <u>and va</u>	rness,	2 Wheel ple carriages ar harness, an	nd
	Gold watches	Patent lever pine silver w				Pianos, and value	Harps <u>and value</u>
	Plate over the value of \$50	Attorneys paying spe- cific tax and am't of tax	Physicians a surgeons paying specific to and am't of to	y- loaned ax, purcha	l out, or c ase, inclu	rest or profits on bonds acq ding interest, ate or corpor	uired by , profits or

Am't of monied	Bridges-	Ferries-	Total am't
yearly income over	am't of yearly	am't of yearly	of tax
\$400, received as	rent or value	rent or value	Dollars
salaries or of office	over \$100	over \$100	<u>Cents</u>

The 1850 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, did not list Leonard H. Wright.

The 1851 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on June 6:

J		· ·	Titheables					
			Harata dan	<u>!</u>	Male f			Slaves
					negroe	es	Slaves	above
Date of		_	White r		above		above	twelve
receiving		is Charge-	above '		years	of	16 years	years
<u>lists</u>	able W	ith Tax	<u>years o</u>	t age	age		of age	of age
June 6	Leonar	d Wright	1					
		f four-wheel a eel riding or pl						
		riages, jersey	•		=		t lever	<u> </u>
	•	alls and stage		Gold		r lepi		Other
<u>&c</u>	with nar	ness belongin	ig thereto	wato	<u>nes</u> s	liver	<u>watches</u>	watches
			Plate			<u> Attorn</u>		
Matallia	Othor	Value of	over the	payin	•		oractise in	
Metallic clocks	Other clocks	pianos and and Harps	value of \$50	five dollar			peals, char vith ten do	-
CIOCINO	CIOCKS	<u>and marps</u>	01 400	uonai	<u> </u>	ADIC V	vitir terr do	iidi 3
			_					
Physician		't interest or p						
surgeons and reside		ned out, or fee curities for mo					eived as s	
dentists		ud'g state and	•	• .			, or as fee	•
		-			_			

Bridges		Male free			
and ferries	Value of	negroes of the	Total	Am't of tax	Remarks
amount	unlic-	age of 21 years	amount	for county	Especially as to
of yearly	ensed	and under 65	of tax	purposes	appraisement
rent of value	billiard	years, subject	Dollars	Dollars	of property
over \$100	<u>tables</u>	to tax of \$1	Cents	Cents	by freeholders

The 1852 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on May 21:

а	ırd H. Wrigl	ht with the fol	lowing h	ousehol	d on N	1ay 21:		
					Tith	neables		Male free
	Date of receiving lists	Persons Cha	•	Free m above years o	16	Slaves above 16 years of age		negroes between the ages of 21 years of age
	May 21	Leonard Wright		1		1		
	attained th	Slaves who have Mules attained the age of 12 <u>& Jenryears and upwards</u> No.		Asses	Cattle and I No.	e, Sheep <u>Hogs</u> <u>Value</u>	Carri Pleasure Carriages No. Value	Stage Coaches

	Carriages [<u>Watches</u>				
Jersey	_	_			Silver	or other
<u>Wagons</u>	<u>Carryalls</u>	<u>Buggies</u>	<u>Gigs</u>	Gold	<u>Metalli</u>	<u>c</u>
No. Value	No. Value	No. Value	No. Value	No. Value	No.	Value

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Clo	<u>cks</u>	Pianos		Household and
<u>Metallic</u>	<u>Other</u>	and Harps	<u>Plate</u>	Kitchen Furniture
No. Value	No. Value	Value	<u>Value</u>	Value

Other articles of personal property not contained in this list Value	Amount of solve of other securitie to, after the amount due by,	es due reof from	the value of invested or turing or oth	ital (other than the real estate) used in a manufac- ner unlicensed trade except agriculture
Interest or profits ove from bonds or certific any other state or cou public corporation cre any other state	ations of this or unty, or of any			Excess over \$100 of yearly rent of annual value of toll bridges and ferries

Amount of exemp-	Aggregate			
tions in cattle, sheep,	of values after		Amount	Remarks
and hogs of personal	deducting exemp-		of tax	Especially as
property in lieu	tions contained	Amount	for county	to Appraisement
thereof	in the last column	of tax	purposes	by Freeholders

The 1853 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on July 19:

Date of receiving lists	ng Persons Charge- able With Tax		Tithe: Free male persons above the age of 16 years	ables Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years	All male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity	
negroes between the ages of 21		Slaves who have attained the age of 12 years	Horses mules, asses & jennies No. Value	Cattle, sheep and hogs No. Value	Pleasure carriages, stage coaches, jersey wagons, carryalls, gigs and buggies No. Value	

Watches No. Value	Clocks No. Value	Pianoes and Harps No. Value	All gold and plate and journal in No.		nousehold and hen furniture Value				
Aggregate a all moneys, sonds, secu liquidated cla	solvent rities and	Capital inverse or used in a ufacturing of business for no license in the capital inverse i	any man- of valuing or which	other eviden the control o	Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under ne control of any court, eceiver or commissioner				
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation or internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends of profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds & claims of internal improvement companies									
All other artic property not this list, nor the 3d and co of the act im	embraced i exempted b other section	n y ıs Aggrega		es Amount of income	Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt				
Amount of d declared by companies a savings insti	insurance and	Yearly rent or value of toll-bridges and ferries	Amount of tax on all persons and subject		<u>Remarks</u>				
			.50	1.10					

The 1854 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on May 4:

		Tithe	<u>ables</u>	White male inhabitants
		Free male	Slaves	who have attained the
Date of		persons above	who have attained	age of 21 years except those exempted from
receiving	Persons Charge-	the age	the age	taxation on account of
lists	able With Tax	of 16 years	of 16 years	bodily infirmity
May 4	Leonard Wright	1	1	

Male free negroes between the ages of 21 & 55 years	Slaves who had attained the age of 12 years	ł	Horses mules, asses & jenn No. Va	<u>ies</u>	Cattle, sheep and hoo No. Val	_	Pleasure carriages, stage coaches, jersey wagons, carry alls, gigs and buggie No. Valu		carry-
			1 5	0					
Watches No. Value	<u>Clocks</u> <u>No. Value</u>	and	anoes <u>d Harps</u> . Value		l gold and s ate and jew Value			ousehold a len furnitul Value	
Aggregate a all moneys, s bonds, secul liquidated cla	solvent rities and	or ufa bus	pital invented in sectoring of the secto	any of va or wh	man- A aluing o nich th	ther e	videnc trol of	oneys, bor es of debt any court, emmissione	under
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation or internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends of profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds & claims of internal improvement companies									
All other artic property not this list, nor of the 3d and of of the act im	embraced exempted b ther section	in Py ns			Amount of all fees of office	Amo of inc		Amount of interest of from published bonds or cates of decisions.	r profit ic certifi-
Amount of dideclared by companies a savings insti	insurance and	or va toll-b	rly rent alue of oridges ferries	tax per	nount of on all rsons d subjects	Amo of tar every	x for y	<u>Remarks</u>	

The 1858 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on July 15:

Date of receiving lists	Persons Char able With Tax	pers abor ge- the	e male sons ve	ables Slaves who have attained the age of 16 years	White male inhabitants who have attained the age of 21 years except those exempted from taxation on account of bodily infirmity
July 15	Leonard H Wi	right	1		1
Male free negroes between t ages of 2° & 55 year	1 the age	asse <u>& je</u>	es,	Cattle, sheep <u>and hogs</u> No. Value	Pleasure carriages, stage coaches, jersey wagons, carryalls, gigs and buggies No. Value
Watches No. Value	<u>Clocks</u> <u>No. Value</u>	Pianoes and Har No. Valu	ps plat	gold and silver <u>e and jewelry</u> Value	
Aggregate amount of all moneys, solvent bonds, securities and liquidated claims Capital invested or used in any man-all maneys, bond other evidences of debture the control of any court, receiver or commissioner or commiss					
companie internal im insurance	al of all incorpo s other than ba aprovement cor companies and lare no dividen	nks of circ npanies, a d savings	culation and of al institutio	l property ons, bonds &	e value of the personal and the am't of moneys, claims of internal nent companies

					Aggrega of value	ate o	Amount of all fees of office		ount ncome	Amount of interest or profit from public bonds or certificates of debt
	Amount of declared becompanies savings in	y ins and	urance	or va toll-b	rly rent alue of oridges ferries	tax pers	ount of on all sons subjects	of t	ount ax for ry pose	<u>Remarks</u>
							1.20			
Leona	The 1859 rd H. Wrigh		•	•			Buckinghan	n Co	unty, V	irginia, listed
	Date of receiving lists		ons Cha With Ta	_	Free m person above the age of 16 y	ale s	eables Slaves who hav attained the age of 16 yes		who had age of those of taxation	male inhabitants ave attained the 21 years except exempted from on account of infirmity
		Leor	nard H W	/right	1					1
	Male free negroes between th ages of 21 & 55 years	ne	Slaves who have attained the age of 12 years	ve I	Horses mules, asses <u>& jenni</u> <u>No. Va</u>	<u>es</u>	Cattle, sheep <u>and hoo</u> <u>No. Val</u>		stage jersey	ure carriages, coaches, wagons, carry- igs and buggies Value
	Watches No. Value		locks o. Value	and	anoes <u>d Harps</u> . Value		gold and s te and jew Value			ousehold and nen furniture Value

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Capital invested or used in any manufacturing of valuing business for which no license is required

Amount of moneys, bonds or other evidences of debt under the control of any court, receiver or commissioner

The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation or internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, bonds & claims of internal which declare no dividends of profits

Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, improvement companies

Remarks

All other articles of personal
property not embraced in
this list, nor exempted by
the 3d and other sections
of the act imposing taxes

Amount of interest or profit from public Amount bonds or certifi-Aggregate of all fees Amount of values of office of income cates of debt

85

Amount of dividends
declared by insurance
companies and
savings institutions

Yearly rent Amount of **Amount** or value of tax on all of tax for toll-bridges persons every and ferries and subjects purpose

1.04

The 1860 Personal Property Tax List for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on April 26:

		Tithea	ables	White male inhabitants
		Free male	Slaves	who have attained the
		persons	who have	age of 21 years except
Date of		above	attained	those exempted from
receiving	Persons Charge-	the age	the age	taxation on account of
<u>lists</u>	able With Tax	of 16 years	of 16 years	bodily infirmity
Apl 26	Leonard H Wright	1		1

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Male free Slaves who have between the ages of 21 the age of 12 years	asses & jennies	Cattle, sheep <u>and hogs</u> No. Value	Pleasure carriages, stage coaches, jersey wagons, carryalls, gigs and buggies No. Value				
Watches Clocks No. Value 1 25		gold and silver te and jewelry Value	All household and kitchen furniture Value				
Capital invested Aggregate amount of or used in any man- Amount of moneys, bonds or all moneys, solvent bonds, securities and business for which the control of any court, no license is required receiver or commissioner							
The capital of all incorporated joint stock companies other than banks of circulation or internal improvement companies, and of all insurance companies and savings institutions, which declare no dividends of profits Aggregate value of the personal property and the am't of moneys, bonds & claims of internal improvement companies							
All other articles of perso property not embraced in this list, nor exempted by the 3d and other sections of the act imposing taxes	n , Aggregate o		Amount of interest or profit from public ount bonds or certification of the cates of debt				
	25						
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The 1860 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, did not list Leonard H. Wright.

On May 31, 1873, at Buckingham County, Virginia, D.B. 2/106 L. H. Wright purchased from Hugh R. Patteson 24 acres of land:

"Buckingham County 31st May 1873, Hugh R. Patteson has this day satisfied and paid off, through L. H. Wright, a debt due me, and for security of which said Patteson about the year ____ had given a deed of trust, with W. A. Brown as trustee, to the land alloted to him in the division of his father John L. Pattesons estate.

J. C. Fitz, agt

Buckingham County 31st May 1873, Hugh R. Patteson has satisfied and paid off, through L. H. Wright, a debt due me, and for security of which said Patteson, in the year ____ had given a deed of trust with John N. Tapscott as Trustee, to five acres of land being a part of the land allotted to him in the division of his father John L. Pattesons estate

J. N. Tapscott for G. B. Harris

Buckingham County 31st May 1873, I have this day sold to and by these presents do sell and convey to L. H. Wright all my right and title to twenty four acres of land more or less adjoining the lands of Jas. M. Ragland David Pattesons heirs, Miss S. Morris &c it being balance of land allotted to me in the division of my father John L. Pattesons estate. For the sum of \$5.00 to me in hand paid by the said L. H. Wright the receipt of which I hereby acknowledge and I hereby guarantee a full right and title to said Wright, in an to the parcel of land aforesaid, against all all persons whatsoever. Witness my hand and seal the date above written.

Hugh R. Patteson

Buckingham County to wit:

H. R. Patteson personally appeared before me J. N. Tapscott a justice of the peace for the County of Buckingham and acknowledged his signature to the writing above to be his act and deed. Given under my hand this 31th May 1873.

Jno. N. Tapscott, J.P.

Buckingham County Court Clerk's Office, June 23d 1873. This deed was this day produced in my Office, and in the certificate of acknowledgment annexed together with said certificate admitted to record.

Teste P. A. Forbes, C.B.C"

The marriage record of Leonard H. Wright and Bettie L. Patterson was dated on July 25, 1874, at Buckingham County, Virginia:

"Marriage License Virginia Buckingham County to wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages

You are hereby authorised to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia Leonard H. Wright and Bettie L. Patterson

Given under my hand as Clerk of the County Court of Buckingham this 25 day July 1874

P. A. Forbes Clerk

Certificate to Obtain a Marriage License

Time of Marriage, July 25th 1874
Place of Marriage, Buckingham
Full names of Parties Married, Leonard H. Wright and Bettie L. Patteson
Color, White
Age of Husband, 64 Years
Age of Wife, 32 Years
Condition of Husband (single)
Condition of Wife (single)
Place of Husband's Birth, Campbell Co Va
Place of Wife's Birth, Buckingham Co Va
Place of Husband's Residence, Do Do
Place of Wife's Residence, Do Do
Names of Husband's Parents, Charles & Rachael Wright
Names of Wife's Parents, Jno L. and Jane Patteson

Given under my hand this 25 day of July 1874

Occupation of Husband, Merchants

P. A. Forbes Clerk.

Minister's Return of Marriage

I Certify that on the 25 day of July 1874 at Mr Lee Pattesons residence Buckingham I united in Marriage the above named and described parties, under authority of the annexed License

T. N. Johnson"

This record identifies Leonard H. Wright as a son of Charles and Rachel Wright and indicates that he was born in about 1810 and that Bettie L. (Patterson) Wright was born in about 1842.

On June 29, 1876, at Buckingham County, Virginia, D.B. 2/523 L. H. Wright and his wife Bettie L. Wright sold to Henry Douglass 27 acres of land:

"This Deed made this the 29th day of June 1876 between L. H. Wright and Bettie L. his wife of the County of Buckingham State of Virginia of the first part and Henry Douglass of the said County and State of the second part - Witnesseth - That in consideration of the sum of Eighty (\$80:) dollars in hand pd. the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged the said L. H. Wright and Bettie L, his wife of the first part have granted bargained and sold unto the said Henry Douglass of the second part a certain piece or parcel of land situate in the County of Buckingham &c containing twenty seven acres, more or less, and bounded by the lands of Nat. Williams Miss Sophia Morris, J. M. Ragland and others. The said parties of the first part covenant and agree to warrant and defend the right and title to the said piece or parcel of land to the said Henry Douglass of the second part his heirs or assigns forever. As witnesseth our hands and seals this the above written day &c

L. H. Wright B. L. Wright

Virginia
Buckingham County, to wit:

This day L. H. Wright whose name is signed to the above writting personally appeared before me Jno T. L. Woodson a Notary Public in and for the County aforesaid and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed. I also certify that Bettie L. Wright the wife of the said L H Wright whose name is also signed to the above writting personally appeared before me as aforesaid and being examined by me privy and apart from her said husband, and having the above writting fully explained to her acknowledged the same to be her act and deed and declared

that she had willing executed the same, and does not wish to retract it. Given under my hand this the 29th day of June 1876.

Jno T. L. Woodson N.P.

Buckingham County Court Clerk's Office, August 3d 1876. This Deed was this day produced in my Office, and on the certificate of acknowledgment and privy examination annexed, together with said certificate, admitted to record.

Teste P. A. Forbes C.B.C"

The description of the land as adjacent to Sophia Morris and J. M. Ragland makes clear this is the same land as that purchased in 1873 by Buckingham County Deed 2/106, even though the acreage has changed from 24 to 27 acres.

On March 15, 1877, at Buckingham County, Virginia, D.B. 2/663 Bettie L. Wright purchased from Sallie H. Moseley one acre of land adjacent to Wright's Mill:

"This Deed made this the 15th day of March 1877, between Sallie H. Moseley of Buckingham County State of Virginia of the first part and Bettie L. Wright of the said County &c of the second part, Witnesseth that the said party of the first part in consideration of the sum of fifteen (\$15) dollars in hand paid (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) hath granted, bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain and sell unto the said party of the second part, her heirs and assigns a certain piece or parcel of land, situate in the County of Buckingham State of Virginia, containing one acre more or less, being immediately in front of Wright's Mill, commencing from the bend in the Mill bond at the second sycamore tree running to the ford below the Mill - bounded by the lands of the said Sallie H. Moseley, Pattie W Moseley and others. Together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging and all the estate right, title, interest, claim and demand of the said party of the first part and the party of the first part covenants with the party of the second part that she will warrant and forever defend. As witness the following signature and seal &c &c

Sallie H Moseley

State of Virginia
Buckingham County to wit:

I Jno T L Woodson a Notary Public in and for the County aforesaid do hereby certify that Sallie H Moseley, whose name is signed to the within writing this day personally appeared before me in my County aforesaid, and acknowledged the

same to be her act and deed. Given under my hand this the 15th day of March 1877

Jno T. L. Woodson N.P.

At a County Court held for Buckingham County, August 13th 1877. This deed was this day produced in Court, and on the certificate of acknowledgment annexed, together with said Certificate, Ordered to be recorded

Teste, P A Forbes, C.B.C."

The birth record of Alex A. Wright, son of L. H. and Bettie L. Wright, was dated on September 2, 1877, at Appomattox County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Alex A. Wright

Date of Birth:

September 2, 1877

Color: Sex: White Male

Born:

Alive

Place of Birth:

Buckingham Co

Father's Name:

Mother's Name:

L. H. Wright

Father's Occupation:

Farmer

Father's Residence:

Buckingham Bettie L. Wright

How many:

1

Deformity:

None

Informant:

Father

On May 18, 1878, at Buckingham County, Virginia, D.B. 3/105 Sallie H. Moseley reexecuted the deed to Bettie L. Wright for one acre of land adjacent to Wright's Mill to assure the passage of legal title, because she had been under age at the time of execution of the first deed:

"This Deed made this the 18th day of May 1878 between Sallie H Moseley of Buckingham County, State of Virginia of the first part, and Bettie L Wright of the said County of the second part, Witnesseth: that the said party of the first part, in consideration of the sum of Fifteen dollars, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, doth grant, with general warranty, to the said party of the second part a certain parcel of land in said County, being one acre more or less, and situated immediately in front of Wright's Mill, commencing at the second Sycamore tree in the bend of the mill pond on the public road, and thence along said road to the ford across the creek, just below said mill, and thence in a

straight line to the sycamore tree at the beginning on the mill pond, and bounded by the lands of L H Wright purchased of J W Harris, and the remainder of said Sallie H Moseley's land, including within said boundaries all the appurtenances thereto belonging. And it is understood and agreed between the parties aforesaid that this deed shall stand and be in the place of a deed between the same parties dated 15th day of March 1877, and recorded August 13th 1877. Executed by said Sallie H Moseley when it is now thought she was under the age of 21 years. And in consideration of this deed, the said Bettie L Wright relinquishes all rights under the aforesaid deed of March 15 1877, and holds the same as null and void. Witness the following signatures and seals

Witnesses Sallie H Moseley
G B Hanes Bettie L. Wright
S. G. Moseley

At a County Court held for Buckingham County, October 14th 1878. This deed was this day produced in Court, and proved by the oaths of G B Hanes and S G Moseley, the subscribing witnesses thereto, and ordered to be recorded

Teste P. A. Forbes C.B.C."

The 1880 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard H. Wright with the following household on June 11, 1880:

<u>Name</u>	Color	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Age</u>	Month of Birth	Relationship
Leonard H Wright Bettie L Wright Susan B Wright Orlando A Wright	W W W	M F F M	71 40 4 2		Wife Daugh Son

	Married <u>During Year</u>	Occupation	Months <u>Unemployed</u>	Sickness Blind Deaf & Dumb Idiotic Disabled
M M		Blacksmith Keeping house		
S		At Home		
S		At Home		

Attended School Within Year	Cannot <u>Read</u>	Cannot <u>Write</u>	<u>Born</u>	Father <u>Born</u>	Mother Born
	1	1	Va	Va	Va
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			Va	Va	Va
			Va	Va	Va

This record indicates that Leonard H. Wright was born in about 1809 and that Bettie Lee (Patterson) Wright was born in about 1840.

On November 20, 1882, at Buckingham County, Virginia, D.B. 4/337 L. H. Wright and Bettie L. Wright purchased from J. W. and Mollie Harris 68 acres of land:

"This Deed made this the 20th day of November 1882, between J. W. Harris and Mollie J. Harris, his wife, of the first part, and L. H. Wright of the second part, all of the County of Buckingham and State of Virginia Witnesseth - that the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the Sum of Six Hundred and Fifty dollars to them in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold and conveyed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said party of the second part, a certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in the County of Buckingham on both sides of Turpin's Creek, adjoining the lands of James Murphy decd, John A Gough and others, and containing Sixty Seven and three fourth (67-3/4) acres be the same more or less, it being the same tract or parcel of land conveyed by G. B Harris, Commissioner of the Circuit Court of Buckingham County to the said J. W. Harris by deed bearing date 29th October 1878, and recorded in Deed Book No. 3, page 124. To have and to hold said tract or parcel of land to him the said L H Wright and his heirs forever And the said J. W. Harris warrants generally the property hereby conveyed

Witness the following signatures and seals

J. W. Harris Mollie J. Haris

State of Virginia Buckingham County to wit

I, P A Forbes, Clerk of the County Court for the County of Buckingham, in the State of Virginia, do certify that Mollie J Harris, the wife of J. W. Harris whose names are signed to the writing hereto annexed, bearing date on the 20th day of November, 1882, personally appeared before me in the County aforesaid, in the State aforesaid, and being examined by me privily and apart from her husband and having the writing aforesaid fully explained to her, she, the said Mollie J. Harris, acknowledged the same writing to be her act and declared that she had

willingly executed the same, and does not wish to retract it. Given under my hand this 21st day of November 1882.

P A Forbes, Clerk

County of Buckingham to wit:

I, Jno R. Moss, a Commissioner in Chancery of the Circuit Court for the County aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, do certify that J. W. Harris, whose name is signed to the writing hereto annexed, bearing date on the 20th day of November 1882, has acknowledged the same before me, in my County aforesaid. Given under my hand this 24th day of November 1882.

Jno R Moss, Comm in Chancery"

On November 28, 1882, at Buckingham County, Virginia, D.B. 4/338 L. H. Wright and Bettie L. Wright resold to Henry Taylor the 68 acres of land, including their residence and a grist mill, purchased by Buckingham County Deed 4/337:

"This Deed made this the 28th day of November 1882, between L H. Wright and Bettie L his wife, of the first part, and Henry Taylor of the second part, all of the County of Buckingham, and State of Virginia Witnesseth - That the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of Six hundred and Fifty dollars to them in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained, sold and conveyed and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said party of the second part, a certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in the County of Buckingham on both sides of Turpin's Creek, adjoining the lands of James Murphy, decd John A. Gough and others and containing sixty eight and three fourth (68-3/4) acres be the same more or less, one acre of said tract of land contains the dwelling house upon which the said L H Wright now resides, and the remaining sixty-seven and three fourth acres contains the grist and saw mill, and was conveyed to the said L H Wright by J. W. Harris and wife: To have and to hold said tract or parcel of land to him the said Henry Taylor and his heirs forever. And the said parties of the first part warrant generally the property hereby conveyed.

Witness the following signatures and seals.

L H Wright B. L Wright

County of Buckingham to wit:

I, Jno. J. Spencer, a Justice of the Peace for the County aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, do certify that L H Wright, whose name is signed to the writing hereto

annexed, bearing date the 28th day of November 1882, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid. Given under my hand this 28th day of November 1882.

John J Spencer J.P.

State of Virginia Buckingham County to wit

I, P. A. Forbes, Clerk of the County Court for the County of Buckingham the State of Virginia, do certify that B L Wright, the wife of L H Wright, whose names are signed to the writing above, bearing date on the 28th day of November 1882, personally appeared before me in the County aforesaid in the State aforesaid and being examined by me privily and apart from her husband, and having the writing aforesaid fully explained to her, she, the said B L Wright, acknowledged the said writing to be her act, and declared that she had willingly executed the same and does not wish to retract it Given under my hand this 28th day of November 1882

P A Forbes, Clerk

Buckingham County Court Clerks Office November 29th 1882. This Deed was this day produced in my Office, and on the certificate of acknowledgment and privy examination annexed, together with said certificates, admitted to record.

Teste, P A Forbes, C.B.C"

On January 14, 1888, at Buckingham County, Virginia, D.B. 6/142 Bettie L. Wright declared a homestead in certain property:

"I Bettie L. Wright of the County of Buckingham and State of Virginia, desiring to avail myself of the full benefit of the Homestead exemptions provided for in the Eleventh Article of the Constitution of Virginia, do now, in pursuance of the fourth, tenth, and eleventh sections of the Act of the General Assembly of Virginia approved June 27th 1870, prescribing the mode of selecting and setting apart said exemptions, by this Deed declare my intention to claim, and do hereby claim such Homestead in the following property:

One Cow valued at	\$25:00
Two calves valued at	20:00
Household and Kitchen furniture valued at	5.00
Balance due on a bond executed 28th November 1882 by Henry Taylor	
to L. H. Wright in the sum of \$100:00	82.54
Interest on said balance of \$82:54 from the 14th March 1887 to	
14th January 1888	4:13

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this the 14th day of January 1888.

B. L. Wright

Buckingham Cty, to wit:

I, Jno C Turner, a Justice of Buckingham County, do certify that Bettie L. Wright whose name is signed to the above writing bearing date the 14th day of January 1888 acknowledged the same before me in my said County, this 11th day of February 1888.

Jno C Turner JP

Buckingham County Court Clerk's Office, April 24th 1888. This deed claiming a Homestead was this day produced in my Office, and on the certificate of acknowledgment annexed, together with said certificate, admitted to record.

Teste, P. A Forbes C.B.C."

On March 30, 1888, at Buckingham County, Virginia, D.B. 6/427 Bettie L. Wright and others sold to Royal N. Williams and Nathaniel Walter Williams their interest in certain land allotted to them from the estate of John L. Patteson:

"This Deed made this the thirtieth day of March 1888, between William L. Patteson, Lucie J. Patteson and Bettie L Wright who was Bettie L Patteson before her marriage with the late Leonard H Wright of the one part, and Royal N. Williams and Nathaniel Walter Williams of the other part Witnesseth that in consideration of value received the parties of the first part hereby grant and convey to the parties of the second part a tract of (237) two hundred and thirty seven acres of land situated in the County of Buckingham and State of Virginia adjacent to the Buckingham Court House and Warren Road about ten miles north west from the Court House and bounded by the lands of the estate of the late Mrs Susan Goolsby, the land of Mrs Ellen V Tapicott, Edward M Miles, William L Hackett and others it being a portion of the land formerly belonging to the estate of the late John L Patteson, which was allotted in the partition and division to William L Patteson, Bettie L Patteson and Lucie J Patteson who were his children these three taking their allotments together. And the parties of the first part hereby covenant that they will warrant generally the title to the land

hereby conveyed Witness the following signatures and seals, the day & date hereinbefore written.

Wm L Patteson Lucy J Patteson B L Wright

Buckingham County, to wit:

I, E M Miles, a Justice of the Peace for the County of Buckingham do certify that W L Patteson & Lucy J Patteson and Bettie L Wright whose names are signed to the writing above bearing date on the 30th day of March 1888 has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.

Given under my hand this the 31st day of March 1888

E M Miles JP

At a County Court held for Buckingham County, August 12th 1889.

This deed was this day produced in Court, and on the certificate of acknowledgment annexed, together with said certificate, ordered to be recorded."

The reference to Bettie L. Wright as the widow of the late Leonard H. Wright indicates that he had died before March 30, 1888.

The 1900 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Bettie L. Wright with the following household:

		Location		
		Number of dwelling	Number of family	Name of each person whose place
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	House	the order of	order of	1900, was in this
<u>Street</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>visitation</u>	<u>visition</u>	family.
		208	209	Bettie L Wright Leonard Wright

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The death record of Bettie Lee (Patterson) Wright was dated on May 29, 1919, at Buckingham County, Virginia:

"Certificate of Death

Registration District No. 141A

Registered No. 11

File No. 13427

- County of Buckingham District of James River
- 2. Full name: Bettie Lee Wright
- 3. Sex: female
- 4. Color or race: white
- 5. Single, married, widowed, or divorced: Widow
- Date of birth: Feb 11, 1841
- 7. Age:
- 8. Occupation:
- 9. Birthplace:
- 10. Name of father: John L. Patterson
- 11. Birthplace of father: Buckingham
- 12. Maiden name of mother: Janie Morris
- 13. Birthplace of mother: Albmarle Co. Virginia
- 14. The above is true to the best of my knowledge (Informant) O. A. Wright (Address) Wingina Va
- 15. Filed June 7, 1919
 - F. W. Swan Local Registrar

Medical Certificate of Death

- 16. Date of death: May 29, 1919
- 17. I hereby certify, That I attended deceased from ____ that I last saw h_ alive on ____ and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at __m. The cause of death was as follows: Infirmities of Old age Contributory:
- 18. Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? Did an operation precede death?

Was there an auutopsy?

What test confirmed diagnosis?

19. Place of burial or removal: Buckingham Co

Date of burial: May 3 1919

- 20. Undertaker: W. A. Stinson Address: Wingina Va"
 - a. Susan B. Wright

Susan B. Wright was a daughter of Leonard H. Wright and

Bettie Lee (Patterson) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², Leonard H.³)

The 1880 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Susan B. Wright in the Leonard H. Wright household on June 11, 1880, and her relationship as daughter, her age as 4, indicating a date of birth in about 1876, and born in Virginia.

b. <u>Alex A. Or Orlando A. Or Leonard Wright And His Wife</u>
Ollie P. (Bragg) Wright

Alex A. or Orlando A. or Leonard Wright was a son of

Leonard H. Wright and Bettie Lee (Patterson) Wright. (Robert¹, Charles², Leonard H.³)

The birth record of Alex A. Wright, son of L. H. and Bettie L. Wright, was dated on September 2, 1877, at Buckingham County, Virginia:

"Name of Child:

Alex A. Wright

Date of Birth:

September 2, 1877

Color: Sex: White Male

Born:

Alive

Place of Birth: Father's Name:

Buckingham Co

Father's Occupation:

L. H. Wright

Father's Residence:

Farmer Buckingham

Mother's Name:

Bettie L. Wright

How many:

1

Deformity:

None

Informant:

Father

The 1880 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Orlando A. Wright in the Leonard H. Wright household on June 11, 1880, and his relationship as son, his age as 2, indicating a date of birth in about 1878, and born in Virginia.

The 1900 Census for Buckingham County, Virginia, listed Leonard Wright in the Bettie L. Wright household on June 27, 1900, and his relationship as son and his birth in June 1877 at Virginia.

This census record indicates that Alex A. Wright, Orlando A. Wright, and Leonard Wright were all variations on the name of Bettie L. Wright's second child. The birth record and the ages listed in the 1880 and 1900 Censuses for Buckingham County also indicate a similar birth date, which is further evidence that there was only one son of Leonard H. Wright and Bettie Lee (Patterson) Wright, although his name was listed differently in the three records.

The marriage record of Orlanda Wright and Ollie P. Bragg was dated on September 13, 1904, at Buckingham County, Virginia:

"Marriage License Virginia, Buckingham to wit: To any Person Licensed to Celebrate Marriages:

You are hereby authorized to join together in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your Church, or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Orlanda Wright and Ollie P. Bragg

Given under my hand as Clerk of the Circuit Court of Buckingham this 13th day of April 1904

P A Forbes Clerk

Certificate to Obtain a Marriage License

Time of Marriage, April 13th 1904
Place of Marriage, Buckingham Co. Va
Full Names of Parties Married, Orlanda Wright and Ollie P. Bragg
Color, White
Age of Husband, 26 Years
Age of Wife, 19 Years
Condition of Husband (widowed or single or divorced) single
Condition of Wife (widowed or single or divorced) single
Place of Husband's Birth, Buckingham Co Va
Place of Wife's Birth, Do " "
Place of Husband's Residence, Do " "
Place of Wife's Residence, Do " "
Names of Husband's Parents, Leonard Wright and Bettie Wright
Names of Wife's Parents, Edward Bragg and Mollie Bragg
Occupation of Husband, Public Works

Given under my hand this 13th day of April 1904

P. A. Forbes Clerk.

Certificate of Time and Place of Marriage.

I, J J Spencer, a Minister of the Baptist Church, or religious order of that name, do certify that on the 13th day of April 1904, at my home, under authority of the above License, I united in Marriage the persons named and described therein.

Given under my hand this the 9th day of May 1904

J J Spencer"

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DESCENDANTS OF

ROBERT WRIGHT, SR., (CAMPBELL COUNTY)

AND HIS WIVES MARY (_____) WRIGHT

AND KEZIAH (GILLENWATERS) WRIGHT

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Robert Wright, Sr.

B before 1765 & probably before 1753

M1 probably before Jul 28, 1769

Res Sep 1, 1780 @ Bedford County, Virginia

Res 1785 & 1786 & May 26, 1787 & May 21, 1788 & Apr 21, 1789 & Jul 28, 1790 & Jun 1, 1791 & May 31, 1792 & May 9, 1793 & May 20, 1794 & May 12, 1795 & May 24, 1796 & May 25, 1797 & Mar 11, 1799 & Oct 26, 1799 & Apr 3, 1801 & Apr 24, 1802 & Nov 7, 1802 & Jun 22, 1803 & Nov 9, 1803 & Jul 19, 1804 & Aug 1, 1805 & Jul 4, 1806 & May 26, 1807 & Oct 6, 1808 @ Campbell County, Virginia M2 bond Oct 10, 1808 @ Campbell County, Virginia

Res Apr 8, 1809 & 1810 & Apr 10, 1811 & Mar 19, 1812 & Apr 12, 1813 & Apr 21, 1814 & Mar 16, 1815 & Jun 17, 1815 & 1816 @ Campbell County, Virginia

D

1st Mary (____) Wright
B probably before 1753
M probably before Jul 28, 1769
D before Oct 6, 1808

N-73: S.B. 1/250 & S.B. 2/245, N-94: P.D. 44/565, N-95: P.D. D/139, N-150: D.B. M/667 986: D.B. 5/553 & D.B. 6/135 & D.B. 6/321 & D.B. 6/322 & D.B. 8/615, 1031, 1555, 1562: Ct.O.B. 2/2 & Ct.O.B. 6/269, 2082, 2096, 2567, 3317: SB 1/24, 4653

986: D.B. 5/553

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(1) George Wright

B between 1765 & Jul 28, 1769

Res Jul 28, 1790 & Jun 1, 1791 & May 31, 1792 & May 31, 1793 & May 20, 1794 & May 8, 1795 & Feb 2, 1796 & Apr 28, 1796 & May 1, 1797 & Apr 3, 1801 @ Campbell County, Virginia M bond Mar 8, 1802 @ Campbell County, Virginia

Res Jun 22, 1803 & Jul 20, 1804 & Aug 1, 1805 & Jul 24, 1806 & May 9, 1807 & Oct 6, 1808 & Apr 8, 1809 & Apr 29, 1810 & Apr 10, 1811 & Mar 19, 1812 & Apr 12, 1813 & Apr 21, 1814 & 1815 & Mar 11, 1816 & Feb 26, 1817 & 1818 & 1819 & 1820 & 1821 & Mar 25, 1822 @ Campbell County, Virginia

D w.p. Mar 10, 1823 @ Campbell County, Virginia

Agness (Doss) Wright

B between 1765 & 1775 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia

M bond Mar 8, 1802 @ Campbell County, Virginia

Res Feb 26, 1817 & Mar 25, 1822 & Mar 13, 1824 & Mar 10, 1825 & Feb 17, 1826 & Mar 29, 1827 & Feb 22, 1828 & Feb 12, 1829 & Feb 5, 1830 & Oct 26, 1835 & Feb 9, 1831 & Feb 7, 1832 & Feb 8, 1833 & Feb 4, 1834 @ Campbell County, Virginia

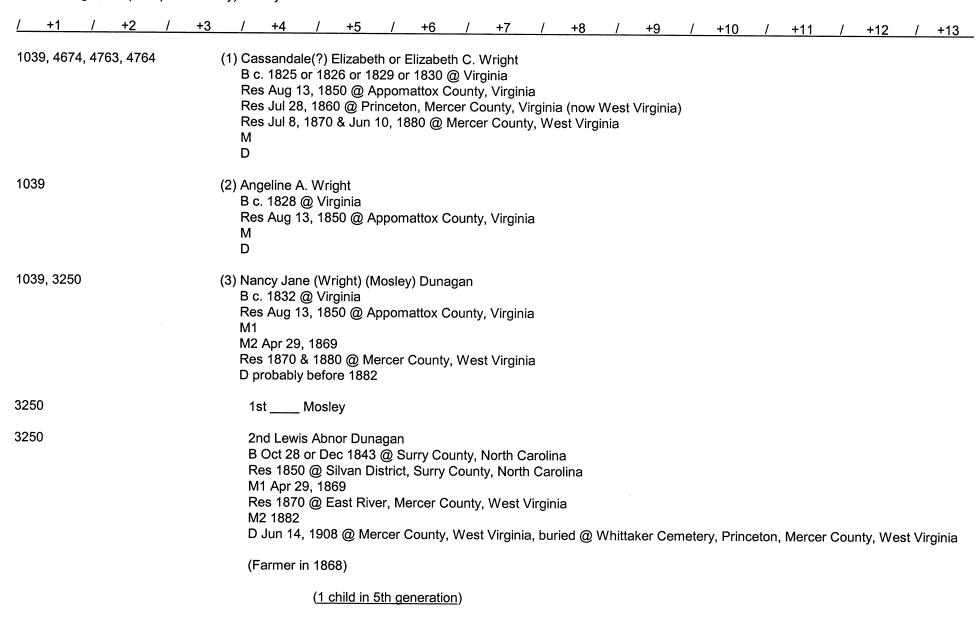
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985: W.B. 4/450, W.B. 5/133, 986: D.B. 13/322 & D.B. 14/106 & D.B. 30/124, 1031, 1035: D.B. K/195, 2082, 2217, 2360, 2461: Vol 2/1, 2507, 3678

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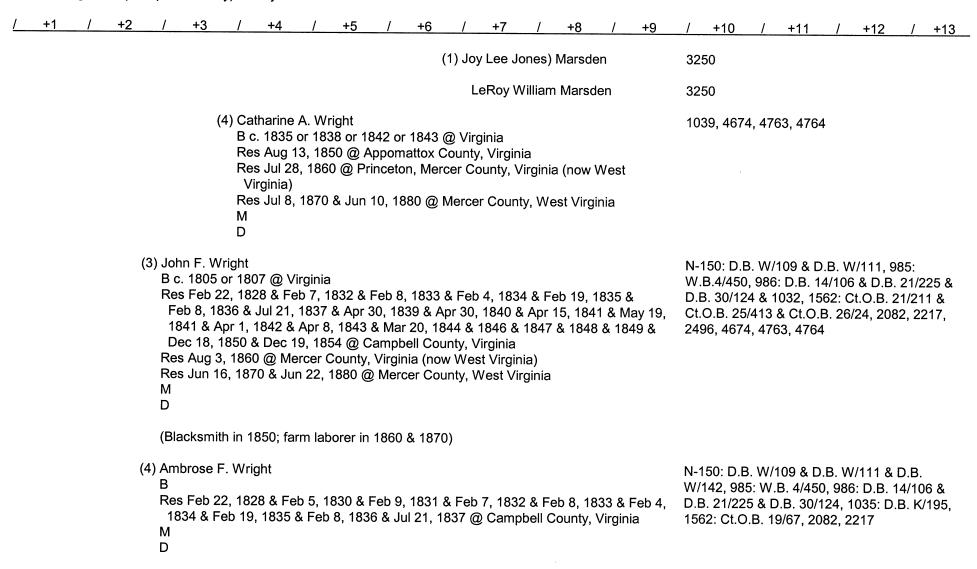
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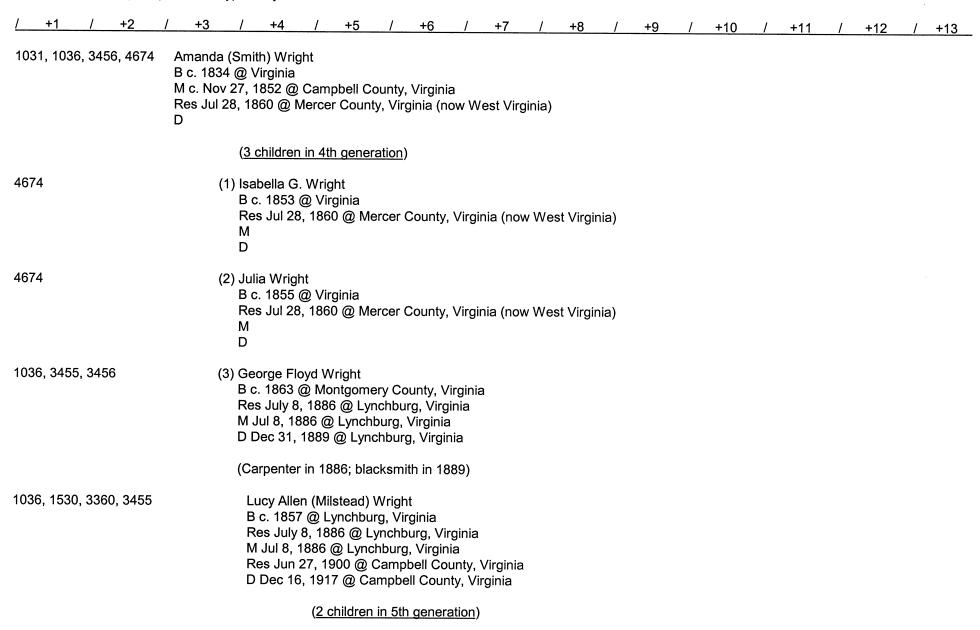
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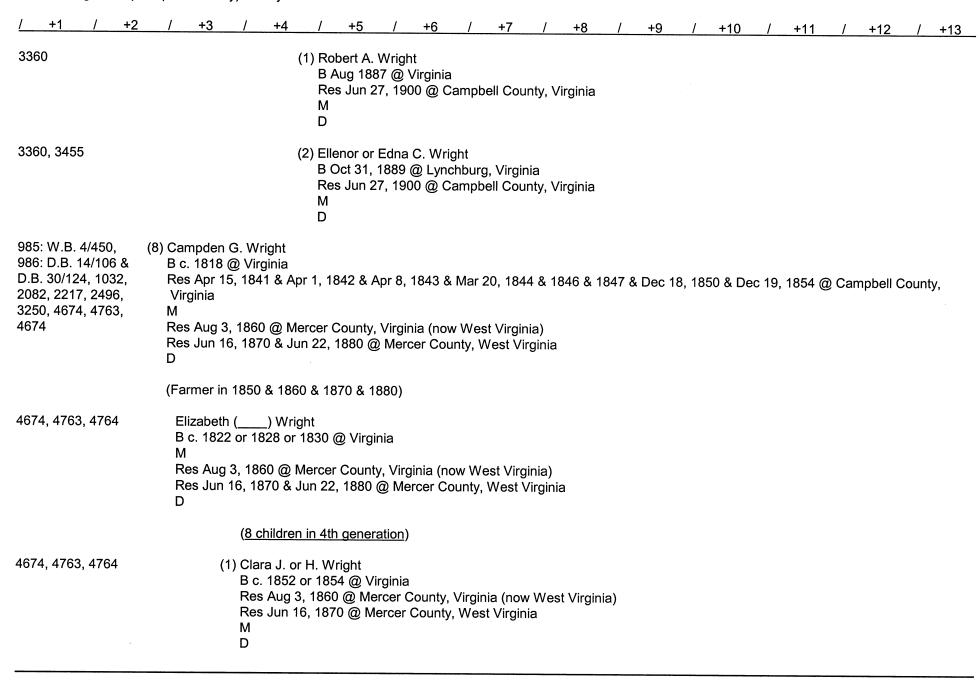
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3250	 (1) Rosa Belle (Dunagan) Jones B Jul 2, 1870 @ Mercer County, West Virginia Res 1880 @ Mercer County, West Virginia M Aug 5, 1886 @ Mercer County, West Virginia D Apr 10, 1940 @ Alderson, Greenbrier County, West Virginia, buried @ McElhenney Cemetery, Greenbrier County, West Virginia
3250	James Wilson Jones B Jan 22, 1865 @ Tazewell County, Viriginia Res 1870 & 1880 @ East River, Mercer County, West Virginia M Aug 5, 1886 @ Mercer County, West Virginia Res 1900 @ Oakvale, Mercer County, West Virginia Res 1910 @ Matooka, Rocky District, Mercer County, West Virginia Res 1920 @ Muddy Creek Road, Greenbrier County, West Virginia D Mar 27, 1953 @ Sweet Springs, Greenbrier County, West Virginia, buried @ McElhenney Cemetery, Greenbrier County, West Virginia (Farmer in 1900; laborer in saw mill in 1910; farmer in 1920)
	(1 child in 6th generation)
3250	(1) Jess Wilson Jones B Mar 29, 1906 @ Oakvale, Mercer County, West Virginia Res 1910 @ Matooka, Rocky District, Mercer County, West Virginia Res 1920 @ Muddy Creek Road, Greenbrier County, West Virginia M Oct 8, 1937 @ Princeton, Mercer County, West Virginia D Nov 6, 1994 @ Laurel, Prince George's County, Maryland, buried @ Alderson Cemetery, Alderson, Greenbrier County, West Virginia
3250	Fannie Svillia (Thompson) (Harman) Jones B Jul 8, 1908 @ Hardy, Mercer County, West Virginia M1 1932 Div M2 Oct 8, 1937 @ Princeton, Mercer County, West Virginia D Mar 1998 @ Manassa, Virginia (1 child in 7th generation)

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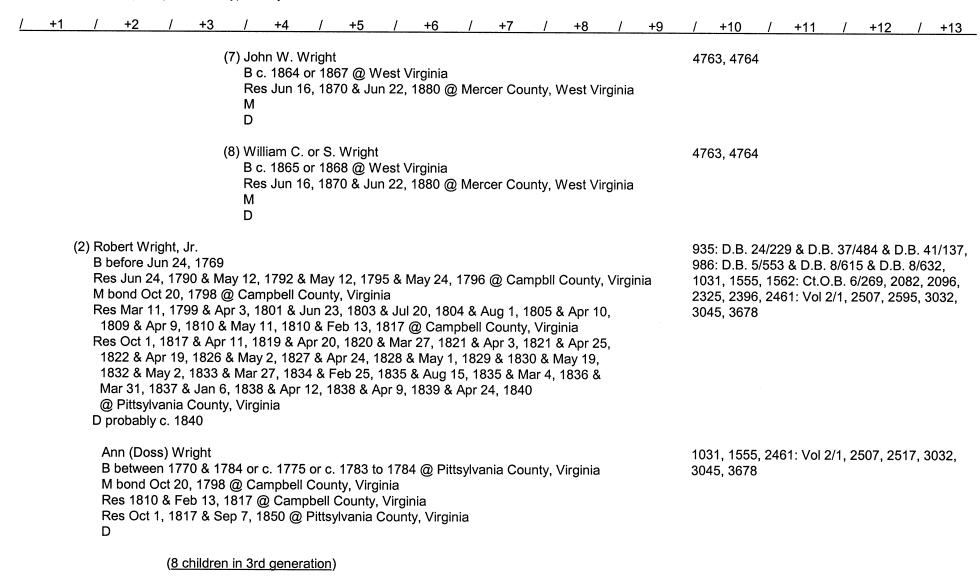


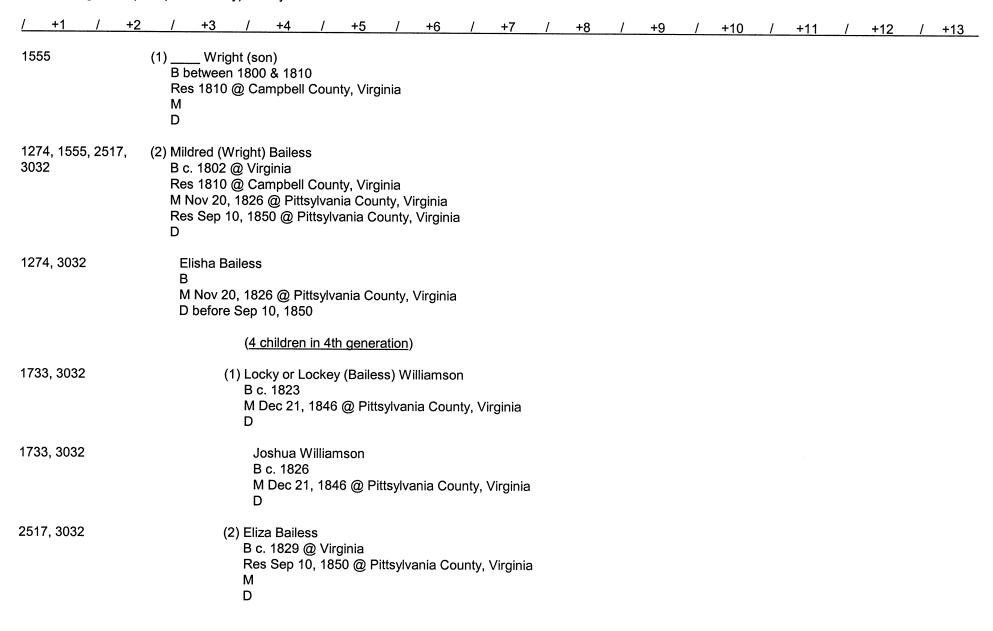
+5 +7 +6 +8 +9 +10 / +11 +12 / +13 (5) Meredith P. Wright N-131, 985: W.B. 4/450, 986: D.B. 14/106 B between 1810 & 1820 & D.B. 25/81, 1031, 1562: Ct.O.B. 19/67, Res Feb 5, 1830 & Feb 8, 1833 @ Campbell County, Virginia 2082, 2217, 2414 M bond Feb 16, 1835 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Feb 19, 1835 & Feb 8, 1836 & 1840 & Apr 15, 1841 & Mar 31, 1842 & Apr 18, 1843 & Sep 1, 1843 & Mar 20, 1844 & 1846 & 1847 & 1848 & 1849 @ Campbell County, Virginia D Mary (Williams) Wright N-131, 986: D.B. 25/81, 1031 B between 1800 & 1810 M bond Feb 16, 1835 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Sep 1, 1843 @ Campbell County, Virginia D (6) Lucy M. D. (Wright) Thomas 985: W.B. 4/450, 986: D.B. 14/106 & B c. 1813 or 1814 @ Campbell County, Virginia D.B. 30/124, 2217, 4661, 4674, 4763 Res Dec 19, 1854 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Aug 3, 1860 @ Mercer County, Virginia (now West Virginia) M May 5, 1864 @ Mercer County, West Virginia Res Jun 16, 1870 @ Mercer County, West Virginia D Feb 16, 1875 @ Mercer County, West Virginia Jesse Thomas 4661 B 1800 M May 5, 1864 @ Mercer County, West Virginia D (7) George Alexander Wright 985: W.B. 4/450, 986: D.B. 14/106 & D.B. B c. 1814 or 1816 @ Virginia 30/124, 1031, 1032, 1036, 2082, 2217, 2496, Res Feb 13, 1836 & Apr 15, 1841 & Apr 1, 1842 & Apr 8, 1843 & 3456, 4674 1844 & Dec 18, 1850 @ Campbell County, Virginia M c. Nov 27, 1852 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Dec 19, 1854 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jul 28, 1860 @ Mercer County, Virginia (now West Virginia) D (Blacksmith in 1850 & 1860)

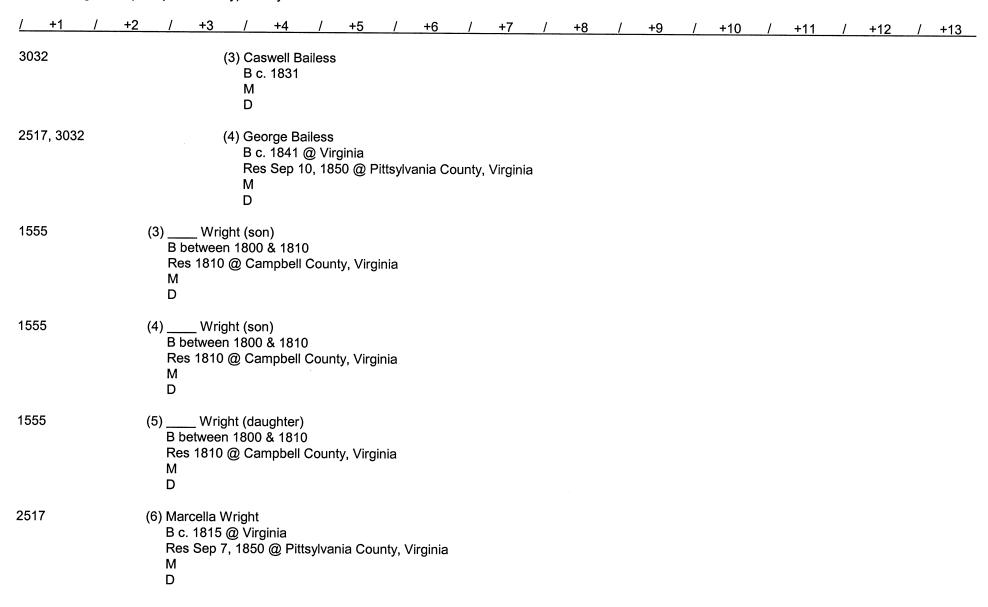




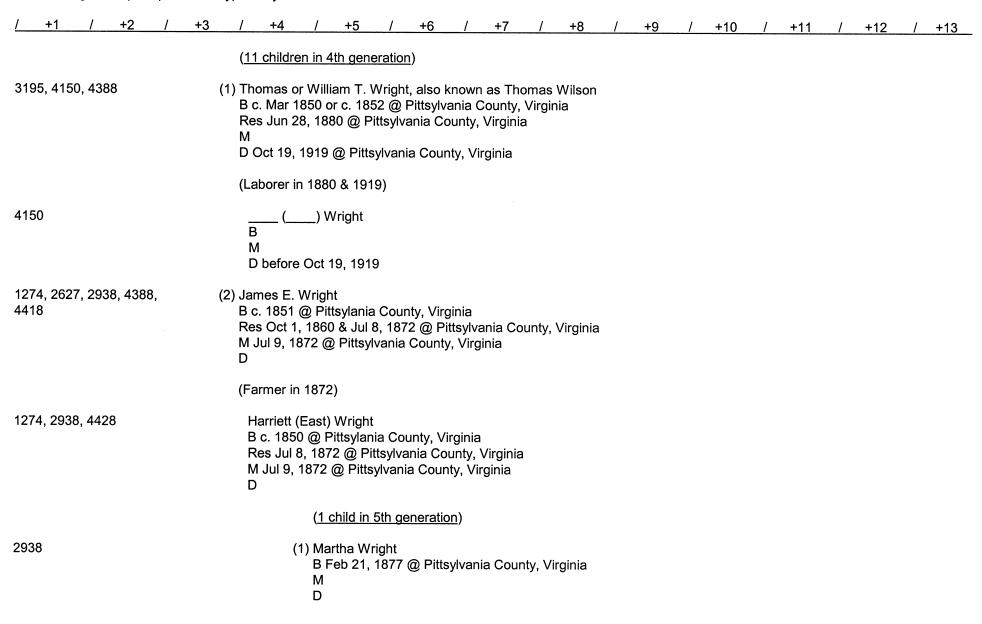
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4674, 4763, 4764	(2) Henrietta Wright B c. 1855 or 1857 or 1858 @ Virginia Res Aug 3, 1860 @ Mercer County, Virginia (now West Virginia) Res Jun 16, 1870 & Jun 22, 1880 @ Mercer County, West Virginia M D
4674, 4763, 4764	(3) Henry G. Wright B c. 1858 or 1859 @ Virginia Res Aug 3, 1860 @ Mercer County, Virginia (now West Virginia) Res Jun 16, 1870 & Jun 22, 1880 @ Mercer County, West Virginia M D (Farmer in 1880)
4674, 4763, 4764	 (4) Sernnamie or Nannamie (?) or Nancy M. Wright B c. Jun 1860 or 1861 @ Virginia Res Aug 3, 1860 @ Mercer County, Virginia (now West Virginia) Res Jun 16, 1870 & Jun 22, 1880 @ Mercer County, West Virginia M D
4763, 4764	(5) Mary C. WrightB c. 1862 or 1863 @ VirginiaRes Jun 16, 1870 & Jun 22, 1880 @ Mercer County, West VirginiaMD
4763, 4764	(6) Edward L. or D. Wright B c. 1863 or 1865 @ West Virginia Res Jun 16, 1870 & Jun 22, 1880 @ Mercer County, West Virginia M D

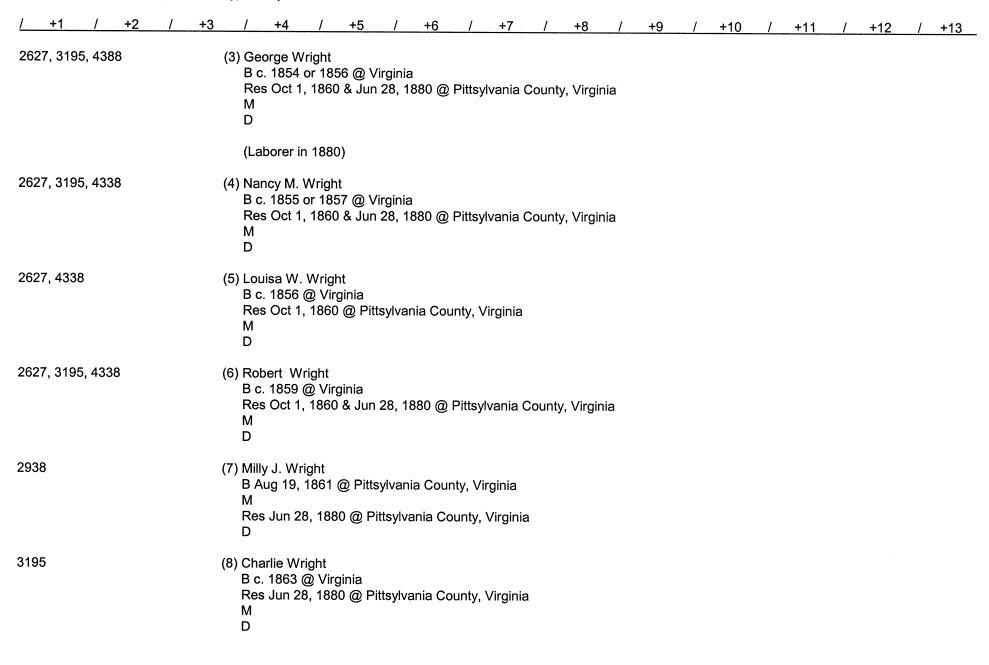




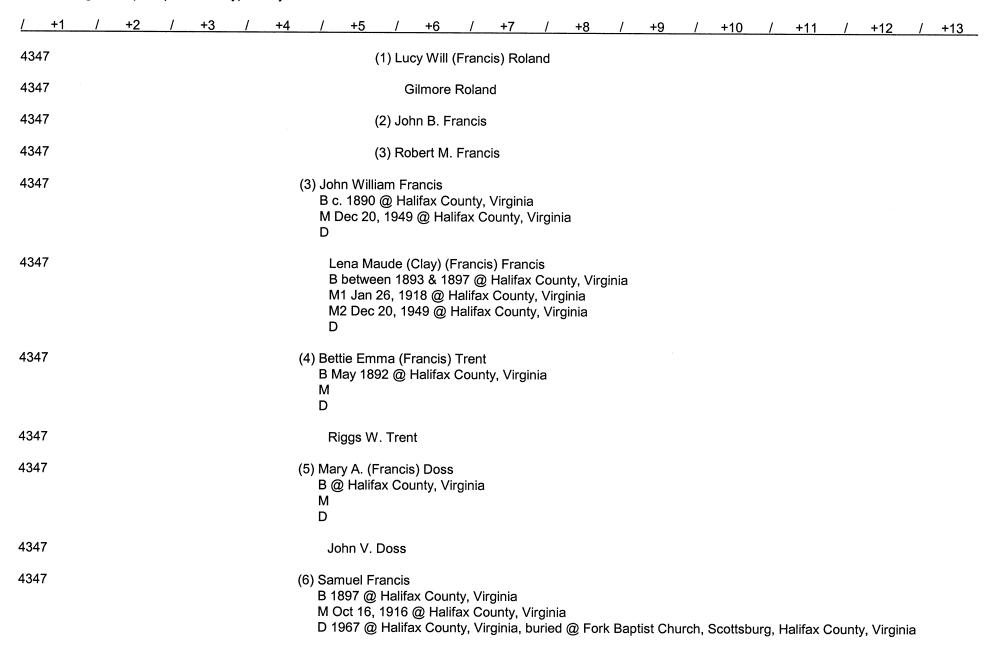


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2517, 2627	(7) Mary Wright B c. 1818 @ Virginia Res Sep 7, 1850 & Oct 1, 1860 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia M D
1139, 1251, 1274, 1733, 2517, 2595, 2627, 2938, 3927, 4150, 4338, 4418	(8) James D. Wright B c. 1815 or 1820 or 1821 @ Virginia M1 Jun 4, 1846 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia Res May 6, 1841 & Apr 7, 1842 & Apr 30, 1843 & Apr 1, 1844 & Mar 20, 1845 & 1847 & Sep 10, 1850 & Pittsylvania County, Virginia Div Nov 14, 1855 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia M2 May 26, 1856 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia Res Oct 1, 1860 & Aug 19, 1861 & Aug 21, 1867 & Jun 28, 1880 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia D
1139, 1274, 1733, 3927, 4338	(Carpenter in 1850; master carpenter in 1860; farmer in 1867) 1st Elizabeth Ann (Shields) Wright B before Jun 3, 1825 M Jun 4, 1846 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia Div Nov 14, 1855 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia D
2627, 3927, 4150, 4338	 (1 child in 4th generation) (1) John S. Wright B c. 1849 @ Virginia Res Oct 1, 1860 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia M D Virginia
1530, 1733, 2517, 2627, 3195, 4150, 4338, 4418	2nd Lockey (Wilson) Wright B c. 1828 or 1830 or 1832 or 1833 @ Virginia Res Sep 10, 1850 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia M May 26, 1856 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia Res Oct 1, 1860 & Aug 21, 1867 & Jun 28, 1880 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia D Apr 1, 1920 @ Campbell County, Virginia





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3195	(9) Lee Wright B c. 1864 @ Virginia Res Jun 28, 1880 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia M D
2938, 3195, 4347	 (10) Mary Alice (Wright) Francis B Aug 21, 1867 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia Res Jun 28, 1880 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia M Feb 11, 1885 @ Halifax County, Virginia D
4347	Robert E. Francis B c. 1860 @ Halifax County, Virginia M Feb 11, 1885 @ Halifax County, Virginia D
	(<u>7 children in 5th generation</u>)
4347	(1) Lucy A. (Francis) HancockB Apr 1886 @ Halifax County, VirginiaM Nov 20, 1907 @ Halifax County, VirginiaD
4347	John W. Hancock B c. 1886 @ Halifax County, Virginia M Nov 20, 1907 @ Halifax County, Virginia D
4347	(2) Robert W. Francis B c. 1888 @ Halifax County, Virginia M D
4347	Hester (Hancock) Francis
	(3 children in 6th generation)



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В 18 М С	lie Mae (Clay) Francis 889 @ Halifax County, Virginia Oct 16, 1916 @ Halifax County, Virginia 967 @ Halifax County, Virginia, buried @ Fork Baptist Church, Scottsburg, Halifax County, Virginia (9 children in 6th generation)
4347	(1) Johnnie T. Francis
4347	(2) Gollie Lee Francis B Nov 1, 1922 @ Halifax County, Virginia M D Aug 27, 1997 @ Halifax County, Virginia, buried at Altavista Memorial Park, Atavista, Virginia
4347	Virgie Leona (Davis) Francis
4347	(3) Cecil June (Francis) Pierce
4347	Willie C. Pierce
4347	(4) Lucy Bea (Francis) (Haley) Jarrell
4347	1st Bob Haley
4347	Jarrell
4347	(5) Ella Mae (Francis) Fisher
4347	Fisher
4347	(6) Francis (son)
4347	(Chappell) Francis
4347	(7) Francis
4347	(8) (Francis) Persinger

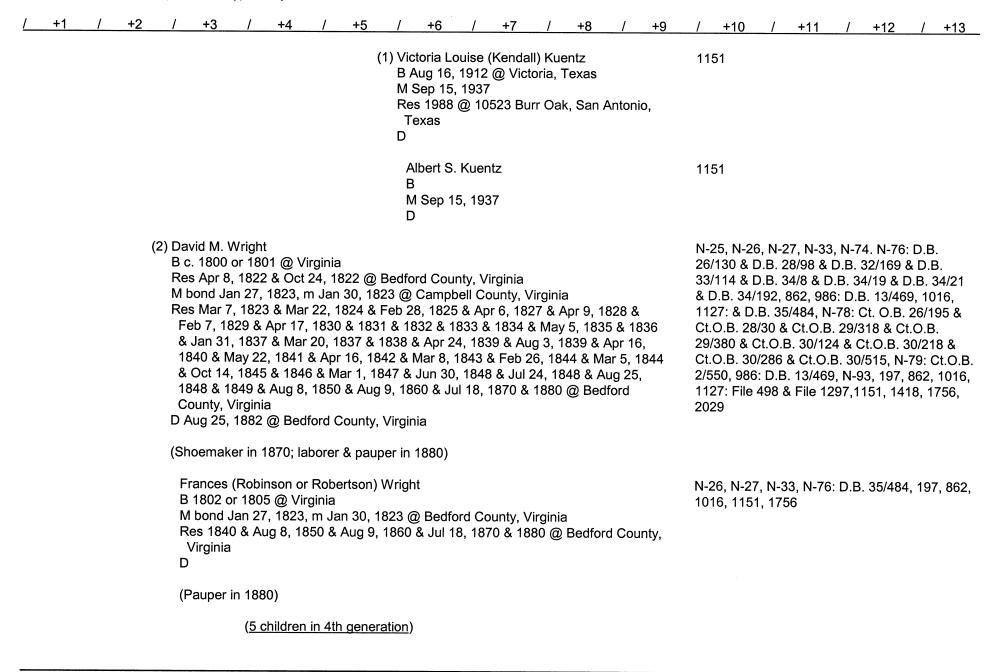
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4347	Persinger
4347	(9) (Francis) Glasco
4347	Glasco
4347	 (7) James Hurt Francis B c. 1897 @ Halifax County, Virginia M Jan 26, 1918 @ Halifax County, Virginia D before 1949 @ Halifax County, Virginia
4347	Lena Maude (Clay) (Francis) Francis B @ Halifax County, Virginia M1 Jan 26, 1918 @ Halifax County, Virginia M2 Dec 20, 1949 @ Halifax County, Virginia D
	(3 children in 6th generation)
4347	(1) Lucy Mildred (Francis) Mann
4347	Hudson Hubert Mann
4347	(2) Mary Alice (Francis) Compton
4347	Walter Woodrow or Woodson Compton
4347	(3) Ethel Maude (Francis) Wallen
4347	John Edward Wallen
3195	(11) Kate Wright B c. 1869 @ Virginia Res Jun 28, 1880 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia M D

+3 +5 +4 +6 +7 +8 +9 +10 +11 / +12 / +13 (3) John Wright 986: D.B. 5/553 & D.B. 15/56 & D.B. 16/7 & D.B. B before Apr 29, 1768 17/12 & D.B. 19/99, 1562: Ct.O.B. 7/204, 2029, Res Apr 29, 1789 & Jun 26, 1790 & May 26, 1794 & May 12, 1795 & Oct 26, 1799 & 2082, 2096 Apr 3, 1801 & Jun 22, 1803 & Jul 20, 1804 & Jul 30, 1804 & Jul 13, 1805 & Jul 4, 1806 & Apr 19, 1809 & Mar 17, 1810 @ Campbell County, Virginia D before Apr 10, 1811 @ Campbell County, Virginia Mildred "Milley" () Wright 2082, 2316, 2360 B between 1770 & before 1775 М Res Apr 10, 1811 & Mar 20, 1812 & Apr 23, 1813 & Apr 21, 1814 & 1815 & 1816 & 1817 & 1818 & 1819 & 1820 & 1821 & 1822 & Mar 13, 1824 & 1830 @ Campbell County, Virginia D after 1830 (6 children in 3rd generation at pages 20 & 24 & 28 & 75 & 117 & 126) 985: W.B. 4/450, 986: D.B. 15/56 & D.B. 15/150 (1) George Anderson Wright B May 9, 1798 @ probably Campbell County, Virginia & D.B. 16/7 & D.B. 17/12 & D.B. 18/472 Res 1819 @ Campbell County, Virginia & D.B. 19/14 & D.B. 19/99 & D.B. 19/305 & D.B. M1 bond Jun 19, 1821 @ Campbell County, Virginia, m Jun 21, 1821 25/402 & D.B. 29/287 & D.B. 29/392 & D.B. Res Aug 7, 1824 & Mar 8, 1825 & Feb 16, 1826 & Nov 23, 1826 & 1828 & Feb 20, 29/524 & D.B. 30/256 & D.B. 31/525, 1031, 1829 & Feb 5, 1830 & Mar 20, 1830 & Feb 12, 1831 & Sep 16, 1831 & Feb 3, 1039, 1151, 1562: Ct.O.B. 15/433, 1611, 1688, 1832 & Jun 8, 1832 & Oct 6, 1832 & Mar 7, 1833 & Feb 13, 1834 & Apr 13, 1835 & 1812, 2080, 2082, 2096, 2360, 2394, 2414. Feb 23, 1836 & Apr 1, 1837 & Mar 27, 1838 & Jun 3, 1839 & May 7, 1840 & May 17. 2610 1841 & Apr 1, 1842 & May 8, 1843 & 1844 & 1845 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res 1845 & Apr 23, 1846 @ Appomattox County, Virginia M2 Jan 19, 1847 @ Cumberland County, Virginia Res 1847 & Apr 4, 1848 & Mar 8, 1849 & Aug 9, 1850 & 1851 & 1852 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Dec 22, 1853 & Jul 26, 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia D Jan 9, 1879, @ Campbell County, Virginia, buried @ Daniel Wright residence, near Concord Station, 13 miles east of Lynchburg, Virginia (Founder of Richmond Examiner; Baptist; farmer in 1860)

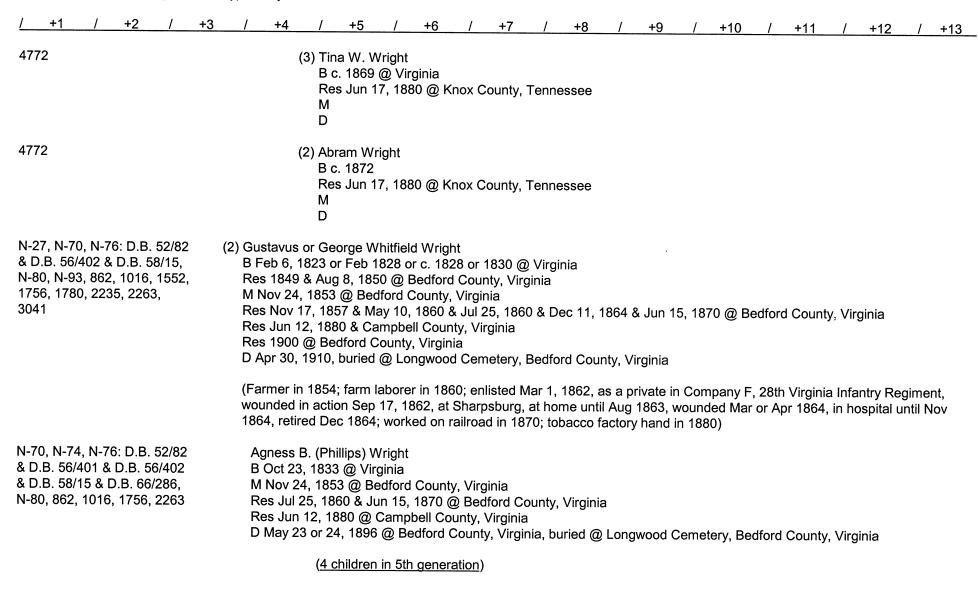
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	(Baptist)
1151	No issue
986: D.B. 29/524 & D.B. 30/256 & D.B. 31/525, 1039, 1151, 1611, 2080, 2610	2nd Elizabeth Frances (Penick) Wright B Apr 24, 1812 @ Virginia Res Jan 19, 1847 @ Cumberland County, Virginia M Jan 19, 1847 @ Cumberland County, Virginia D 1863 @ Wetumpka, Alabama, buried @ City Cemetery, Wetumpka, Elmore County, Alabama
	(4 children in 4th generation)
1039, 1151, 1611, 2610	(1) George William Wright B Feb 27, 1848 probably @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res 1850 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Jul 26, 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia M D 1864, buried @ Wetumpka, Elmore County, Alabama
1036, 1151, 2610, 3041	(Died from lockjaw from wound during Civil War) (2) Mary Zillah or Zella (Wright) Blanks B Jan 28, 1851 @ Virginia Res Jul 26, 1860 & Jun 5, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res May 18, 1881 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M May 18, 1881 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D May 9, 1904
31/525, 1039, 1151, 1611, 2080, 2610 1039, 1151, 1611, 2610	Res Jan 19, 1847 @ Cumberland County, Virginia M Jan 19, 1847 @ Cumberland County, Virginia D 1863 @ Wetumpka, Alabama, burled @ City Cemetery, Wetumpka, Elmore County, Alabama (4 children in 4th generation) (1) George William Wright B Feb 27, 1848 probably @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res 1850 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Jul 26, 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia M D 1864, buried @ Wetumpka, Elmore County, Alabama (Died from lockjaw from wound during Civil War) (2) Mary Zillah or Zella (Wright) Blanks B Jan 28, 1851 @ Virginia Res Jul 26, 1860 & Jun 5, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res May 18, 1881 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M May 18, 1881 @ Lynchburg, Virginia

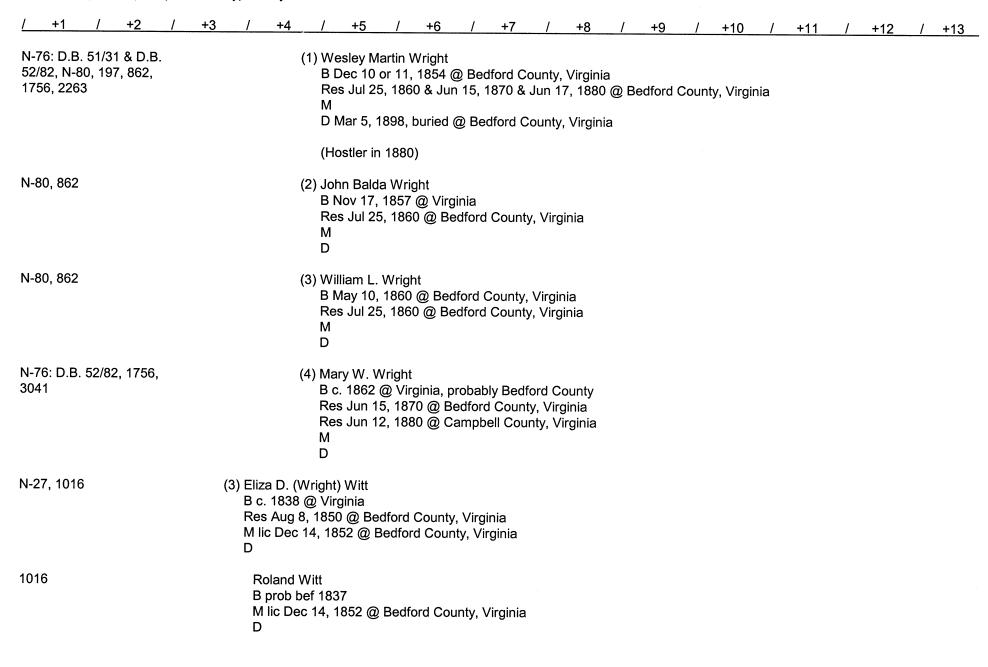
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1036, 1151	Edgar Raines Blanks B c. 1858 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res May 18, 1881 @ Campbell County, Virginia M May 18, 1881 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res @ Campbell County, Virginia D
	(1 child in 5th generation)
1151	(1) Julian Allen Blanks B 1882 M D May 27, 1909 @ North Carolina
1151, 2610, 3041	(3) Frances "Fannie" Gilmer (Wright) Shutz B c. 1850 @ Virginia Res Jul 26, 1860 & Jun 5, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia M D
1151	James Shutz B Oct 21, 1856 @ Germany M D
	(4 children in 5th generation)
1151	(1) Mary Shutz
1151	(2) George Shutz
1151	(3) Agnes Shutz
1151	(4) William Shutz

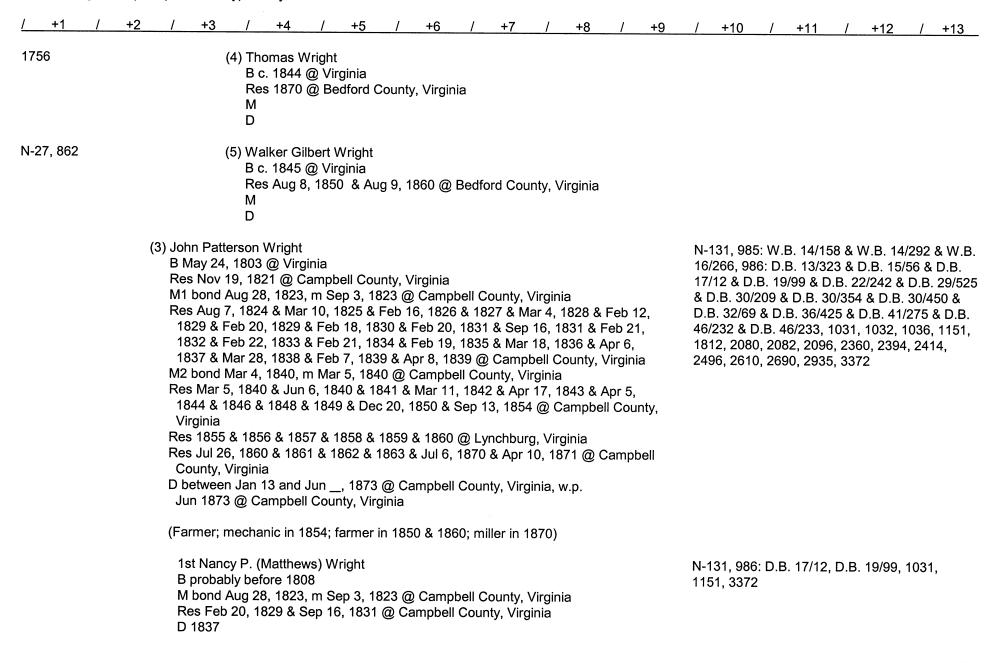
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1151, 2610, 3041, 4762	 (4) Nathaniel Penick Wright B Mar 15, 1855 @ Virginia Res Jul 26, 1860 & Jun 5, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia M Jan 1, 1883 Res Jun 6, 1900 @ San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas D Feb 5, 1930 @ San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas
	(Plasterer in 1880; bricklayer in 1900)
1151, 4762	Beulah Madison (Hunt) Wright B Oct 1866 @ Tennessee M Jan 1, 1883 Res Jun 6, 1900 @ San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas D
	(3 children in 5th generation)
4762	(1) Pearl WrightB c. Mar 1884 @ TexasRes Jun 6, 1900 @ San Antonio, Bexar County, TexasMD
4762	(2) Bertie WrightB c. Sep 1887 @ TexasRes Jun 6, 1900 @ San Antonio, Bexar County, TexasMD
1151, 4762	 (3) Elizabeth Louise or C. (Wright) Kendall B Nov 25, 1889 @ San Antonio, Texas Res Jun 6, 1900 @ San Antonio, Bexar County, Texas M D Sep 27, 1969 @ San Antonio, Texas
1151	Kendall
	(1 child in 6th generation)

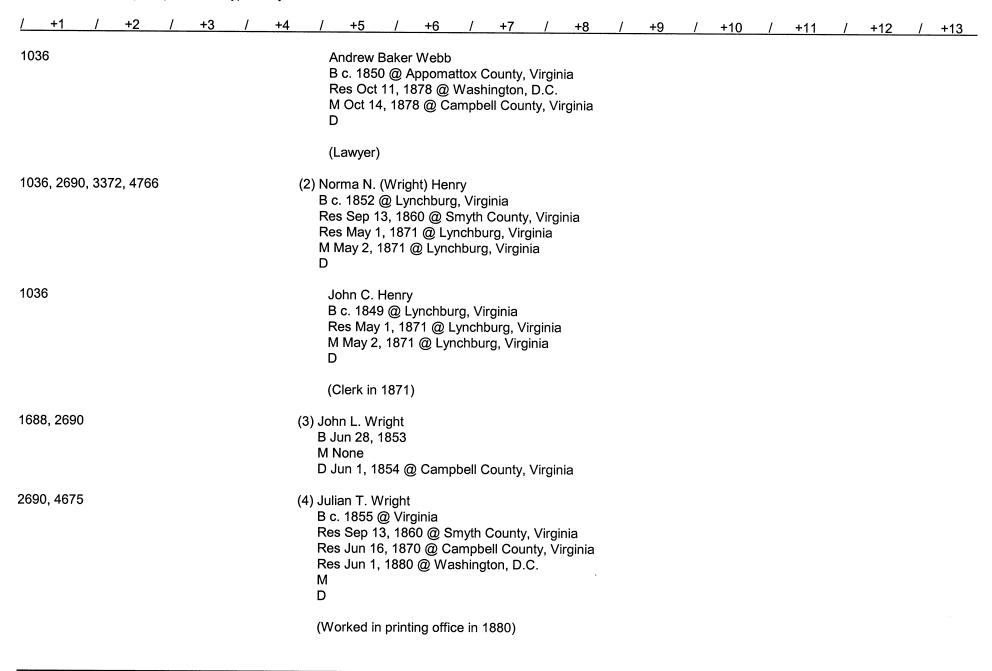


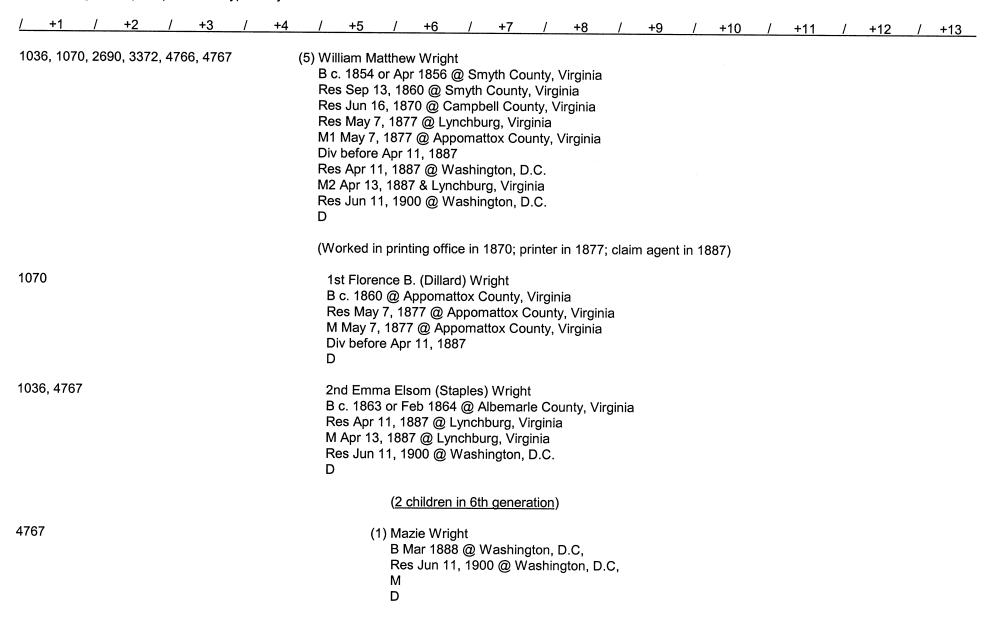
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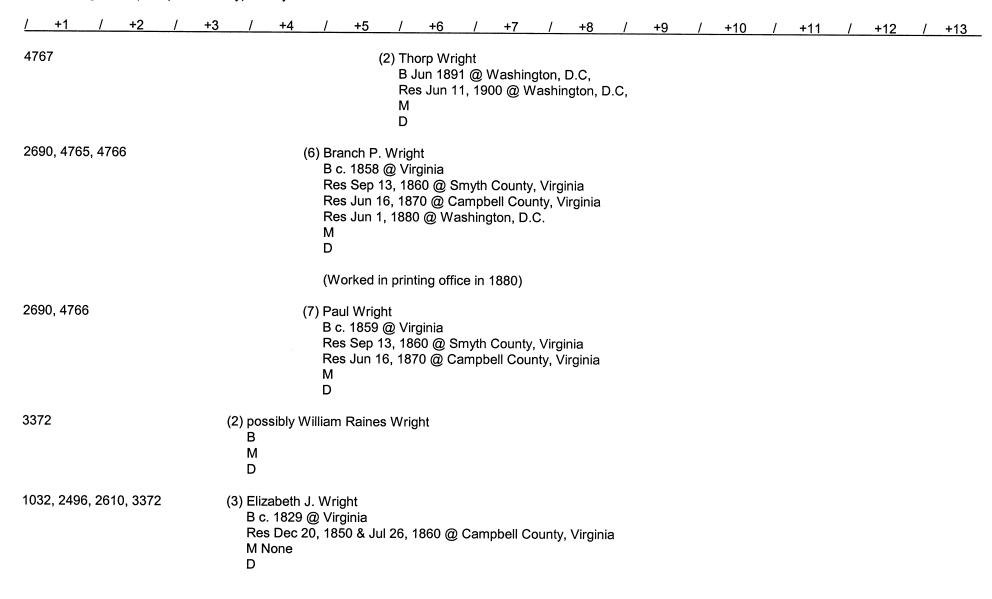




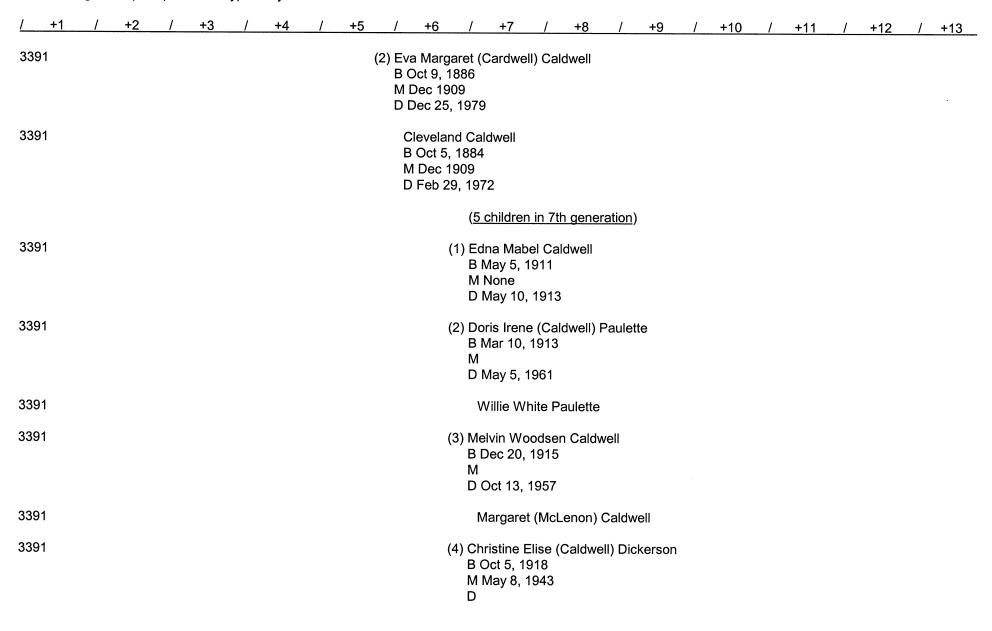


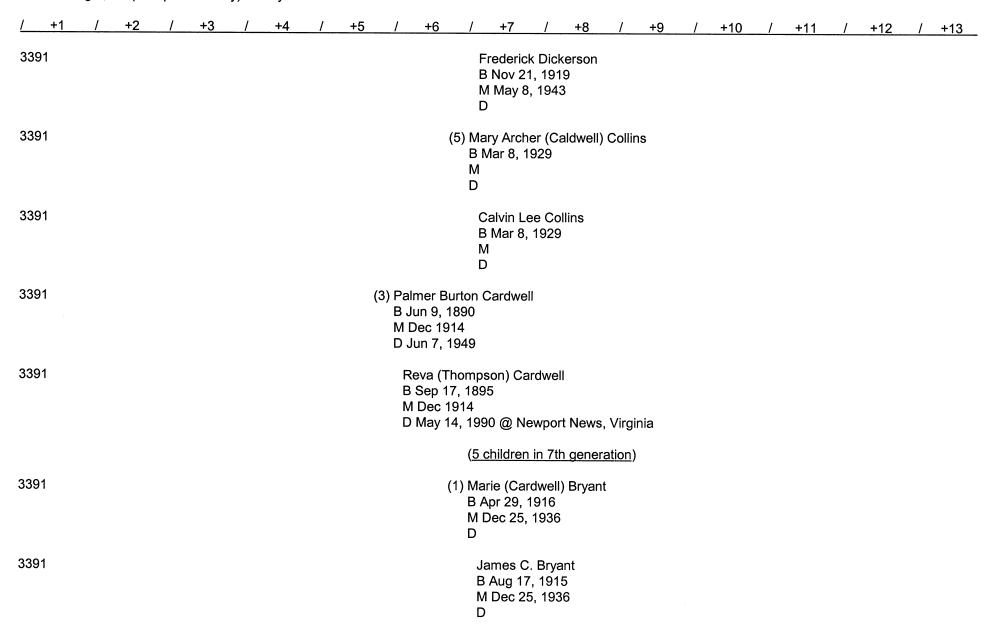


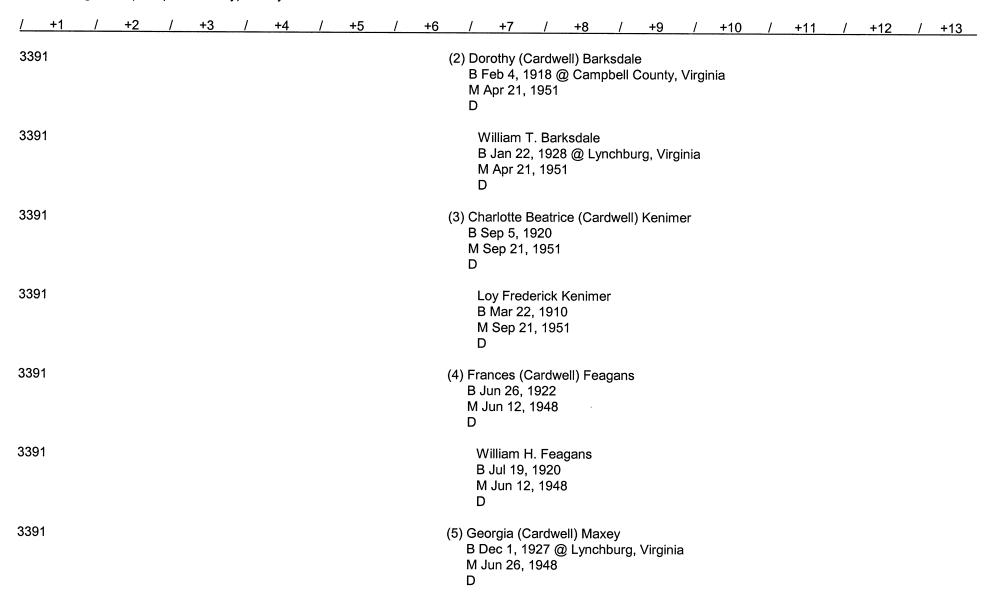




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1031, 3372	George Daniel Blanks B M Dec 1, 1857 @ Campbell County, Virginia D
	(4 children in 5th generation)
3372	(1) Edgar Blanks
3372	(2) Eva (Blanks) Martin
3372	Johnny Martin
3372, 3391	(3) Georgia Ann (Blanks) Cardwell B Sep 30, 1862 or 1865 M Mar 31, 1886 D Sep 25, 1925
3372, 3391	Charles Cardwell B Sep 25, 1851 M Mar 31, 1866 D Oct 14, 1926
	(12 children in 6th generation)
3391	(1) Thomas Daniel CardwellB Jun 27, 1887 @ Campbell County, VirginiaMD





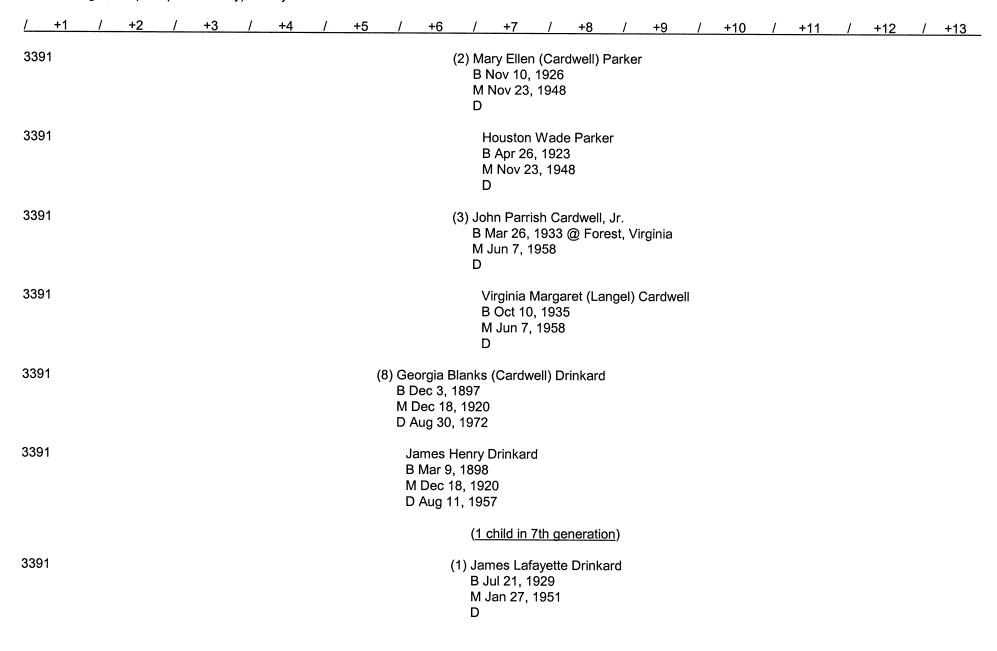


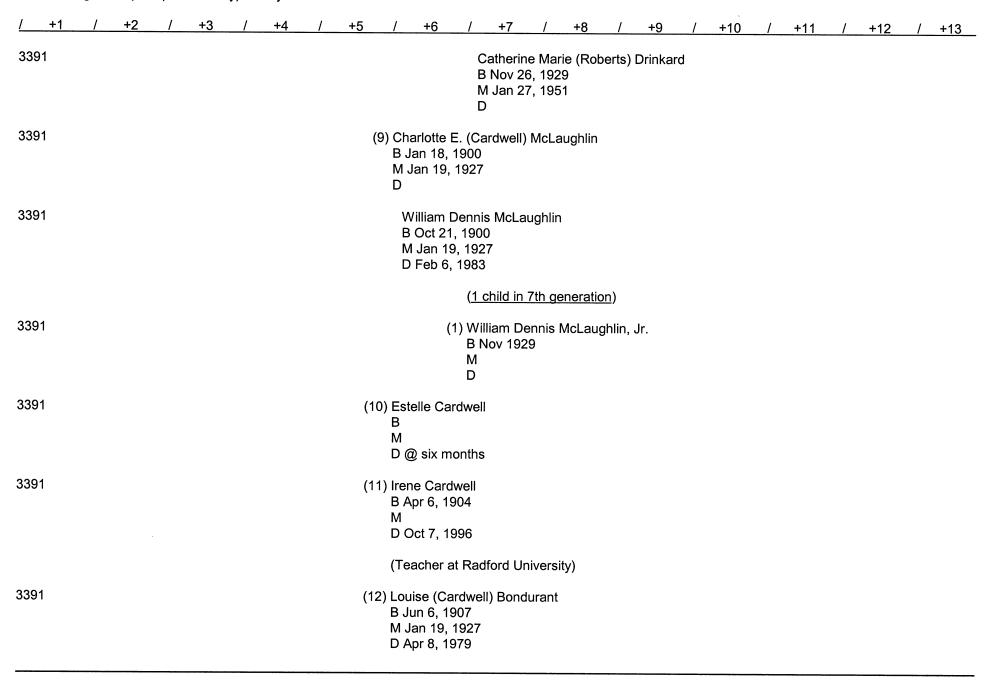
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3391	Ellis Franlin Maxey B Oct 10, 1925 M Jun 26, 1948 D
3391	(4) Norma Eileen (Cardwell) ThompsonB Feb 24, 1892M Dec 14, 1910 @ Campbell County, VirginiaD Mar 6, 1971
3391	Thomas R. Thompson B Aug 1, 1877 M Dec 14, 1910 @ Campbell County, Virginia D May 15, 1957
	(5 children in 7th generation)
3391	(1) Edwin Stafford Thompson B Oct 24, 1911 M D Jul 28, 1978
3391	Mablee Tynee (Thompson) Thompson
3391	(2) Eva Marie (Thompson) MillerB Jan 9, 1914 @ Campbell County, VirginiaM Dec 29, 1934D
3391	McCoy Mumford Miller B Feb 14, 1904 M Dec 29, 1934 D Jan 9, 1958
3391	(3) Mildred Louise (Thompson) Thompson B Nov 6, 1915 M Jan 6, 1933 D May 29, 1980

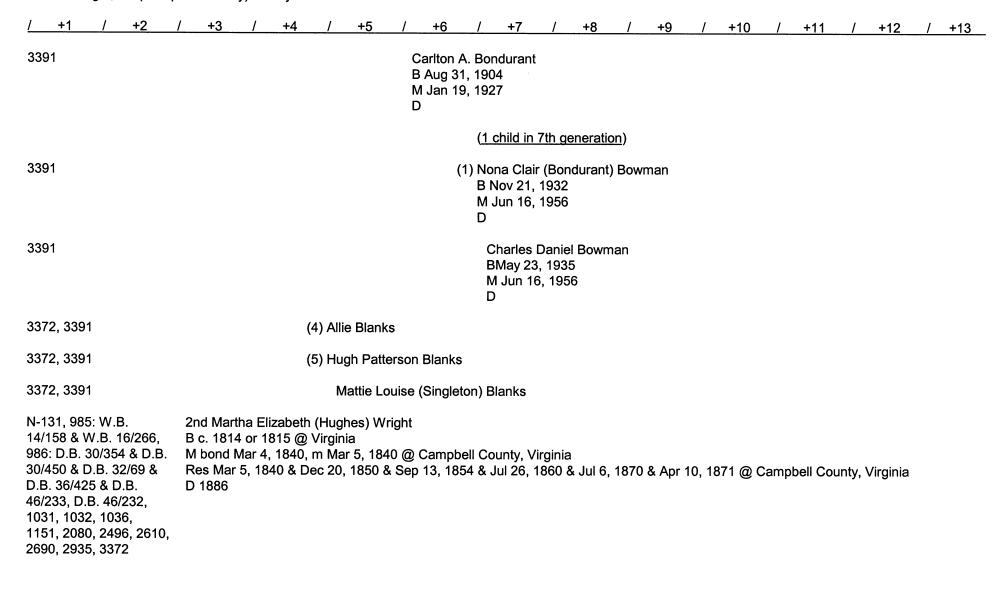
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3391	William Daniel Thompson B May 12, 1913 M Jan 6, 1933 D Oct 20, 1975
3391	(4) Julian R. ThompsonB Jun 24, 1917 @ Campbell County, VirginiaM1M2D
3391	1st Louise (Thornhill) Thompson
3391	2nd Jean (Bailey) Thompson
3391	(5) Charles R. ThompsonB Nov 15, 1920M Nov 24, 1951D
3391	Annie Bell (Keesee) Thompson B Mar 23, 1920 M Nov 24, 1951 D
3391	(5) Edna (Cardwell) Thompson B Jun 3, 1893 M Jun 1914 D Nov 27, 1971
3391	Herman C. Thompson B Jul 6 M Jun 1914 D 1937
	(2 children in 7th generation)

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3391	(1) Vernell (Thompson) (Godsey) Tolley B May 25, 1915 M1 M2
	D Dec 15, 1976
3391	1st Russell Godsey
3391	2nd E. L. Tolley
3391	(2) Hazel Pauline (Thompson) Bennett B Feb 20, 1925 M D
3391	Claude A. Bennett
3391	(6) Elizabeth Gay (Cardwell) Deacon B Jan 19, 1895 M Dec 16, 1913 D Sep 8, 1976
3391	Norvell Elvin Deacon B Oct 14, 1895 M Dec 16, 1913 D May 16, 1950
	(3 children in 7th generation)
3391	(1) Charles Elvin Deacon B Jun 6, 1917 M D Jun 4, 1942
3391	(2) James Duval Deacon B Feb 19, 1921 M May 8, 1943 D

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3391	Ova May "Hicky" (Hickman) Deacon B
	M May 8, 1943
	D D
3391	(3) Shirley Gay (Deacon) Thomas
	B Jul 25, 1924
	M May 8, 1943 D
3391	Hubert M. Thomas, Jr.
	B Jul 15, 1921
	M May 8, 1943
	D
	(Lt. Colonel)
3391	(7) John Parrish Cardwell
	B Mar 16, 1896
	M
	D Nov 11, 1966
3391	Mary Ellen (Thomas) Cardwell
	(3 children in 7th generation)
3391	(1) Marion Estelle (Cardwell) (Templeton) Thompson
	B Aug 1, 1921
	M1 May 12, 1942
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	D
3391	1st Floyd St. Clair Templeton
	B Jun 20, 1915
	M May 12, 1942
	D Nov 27, 1963
3391	2nd Alfred Strong Thompson



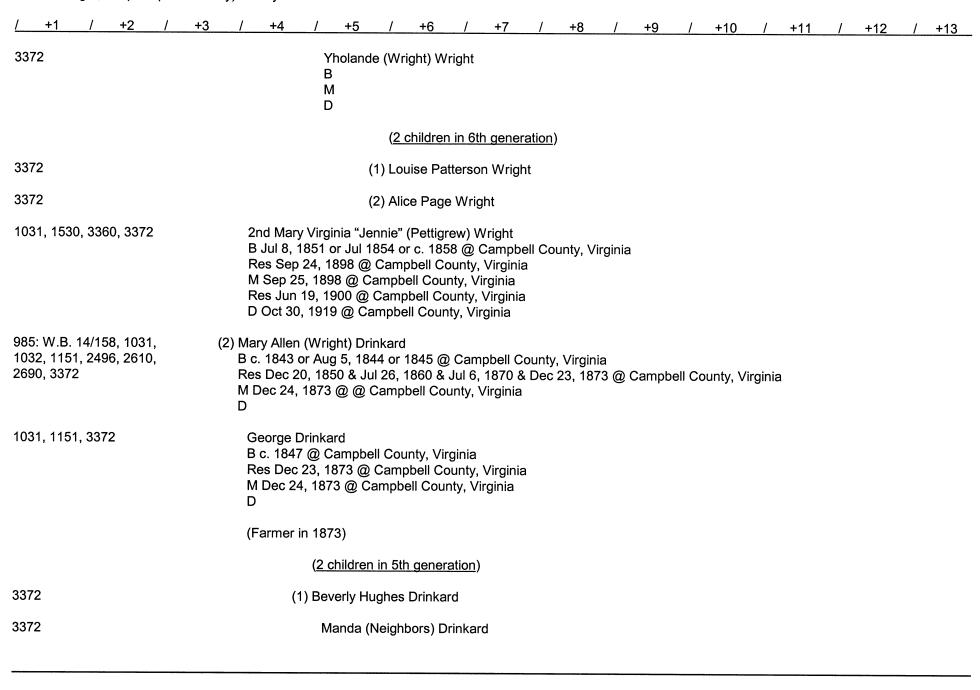


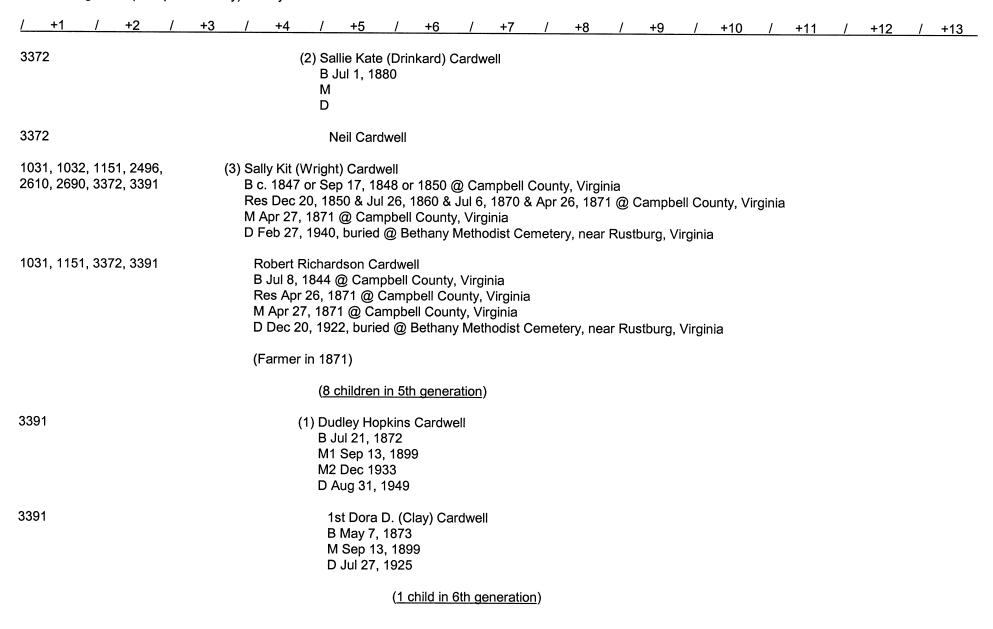


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(Mechanic in 1867; miller in 1874; farmer and carpenter in 1880 & 1898; farmer in 1900)															
986: D.B. 46/233 & D.B. 46/235 & D.B. 46/388, 1031, 1036, 1151, 2080, 2935, 3041, 3372	1st Alice Virginia (Smith) Wright B c. 1845 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Aug 28, 1867 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Aug 29, 1867 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res Apr 10, 1871 & May 1, 1874 & Feb 8, 1877 & Mar 1880 & Jun 17, 1880 & Jul 28, 1884 @ Campbell County, Virginia D after Nov 9, 1885 & before Sep 24, 1898														
	(6 children in 5th generation)														
3041, 3372, 33934	 (1) Carrie Lee (Wright) Mack B Jan 1870 @ Virginia Res Jun 17, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia M Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D 														
3372	Mack														
	(1 child in 6th generation)														
3394	(1) Harold W. Mack B Jan 1896 @ Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D														

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3041, 3372, 3394	 (2) Samuel E. or Patterson Wright B Oct 1871 or c. 1872 @ Virginia Res Jun 17, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D 1916
	(House carpenter in 1900)
2935, 3041, 3372	(3) Alice C. Wright B May 1, 1874 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jun 17, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia M D
2935, 3041, 3372, 3394	(4) Warren W. Wright B Feb 8, 1877 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jun 17, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D
	(House carpenter in 1900)
2935, 3041, 3372, 3394	 (5) Bettie N. or Bessie Hughes Wright B Mar 1, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jun 17, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D Feb 1902
3372, 3394	(6) Thomas Stratton Wright B Nov 25, 1886 @ Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D

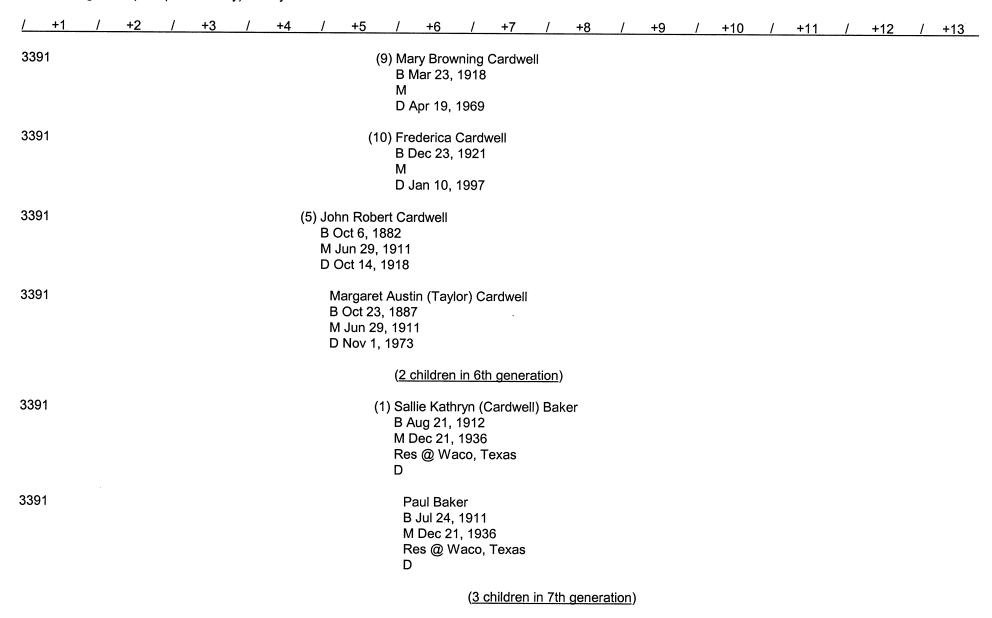


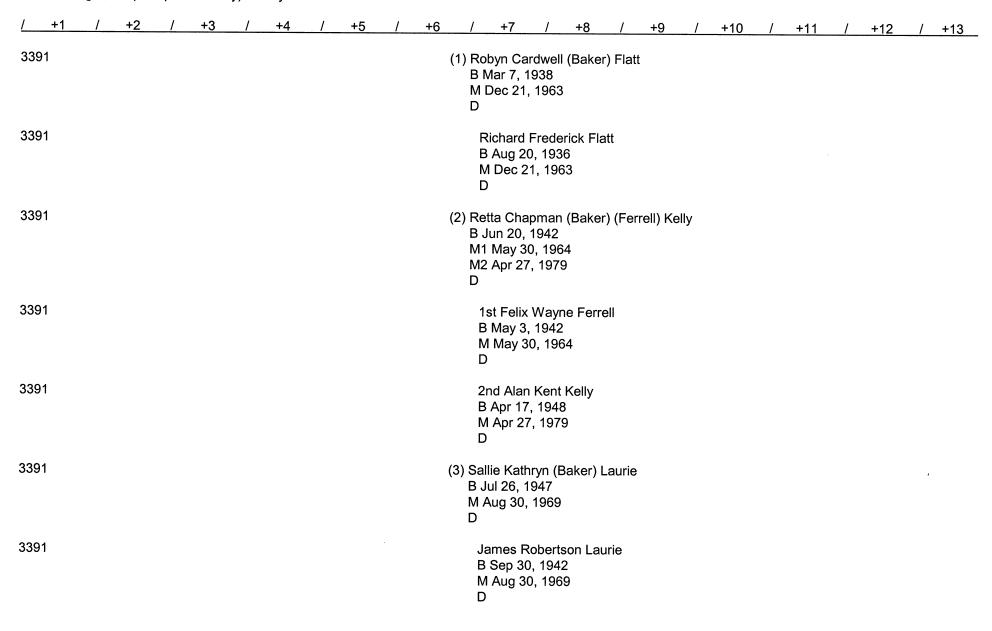


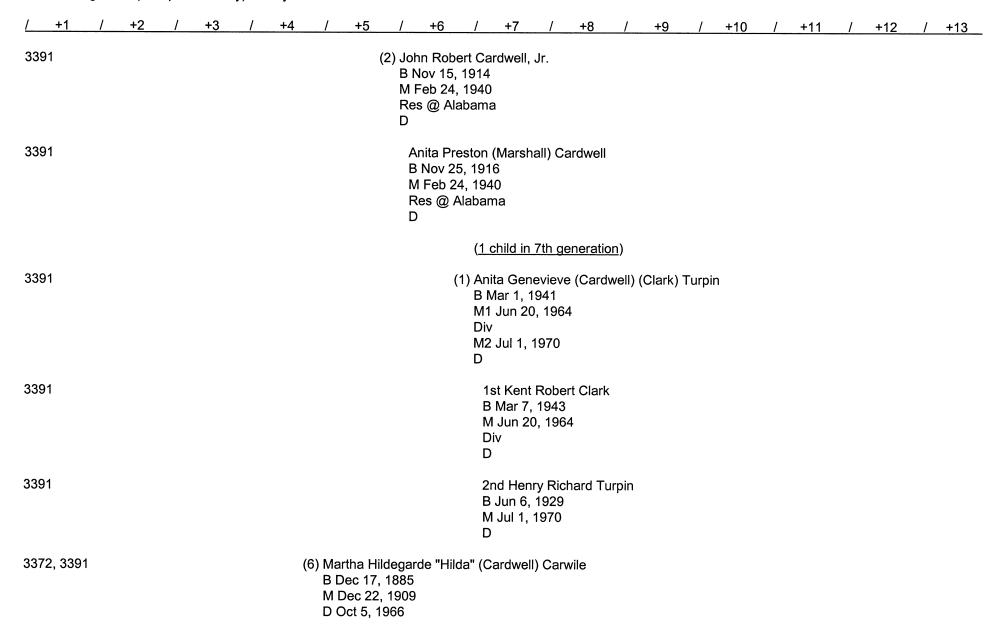
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3391	(1) Robert Edward Cardwell B Jan 18, 1938 M Sep 10, 1958 D																				
3391										Ann S _l B Dec M Sep D	31, 19		Cardv	vell							
3391	2nd Zelpha (Hardin) (Garman) Cardwell B Jul 12, 1903 M Feb 28, 1970 D																				
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3391	(3) Thomas Dixon Cardwell B Jul 5, 1876 M D Feb 23, 1877
3391	(4) Annie Grace (Cardwell) Cardwell B May 18, 1878 M Dec 19, 1899 D Feb 23, 1966
3391	Thomas Andrew Cardwell B Aug 29, 1865 M Dec 19, 1899 D Nov 7, 1934
	(10 children in 6th generation)
3391	(1) Grace Cardwell B Oct 9, 1900 M None D Jul 29, 1968
3391	(2) John Robert Cardwell B Aug 13, 1902 M None D Sep 30, 1974
3391	(3) Emma Ellen Cardwell B Aug 11, 1904 M None D Nov 19, 1948
3391	(4) Andrew Palmer Cardwell B Sep 22, 1906 M None D Oct 9, 1978

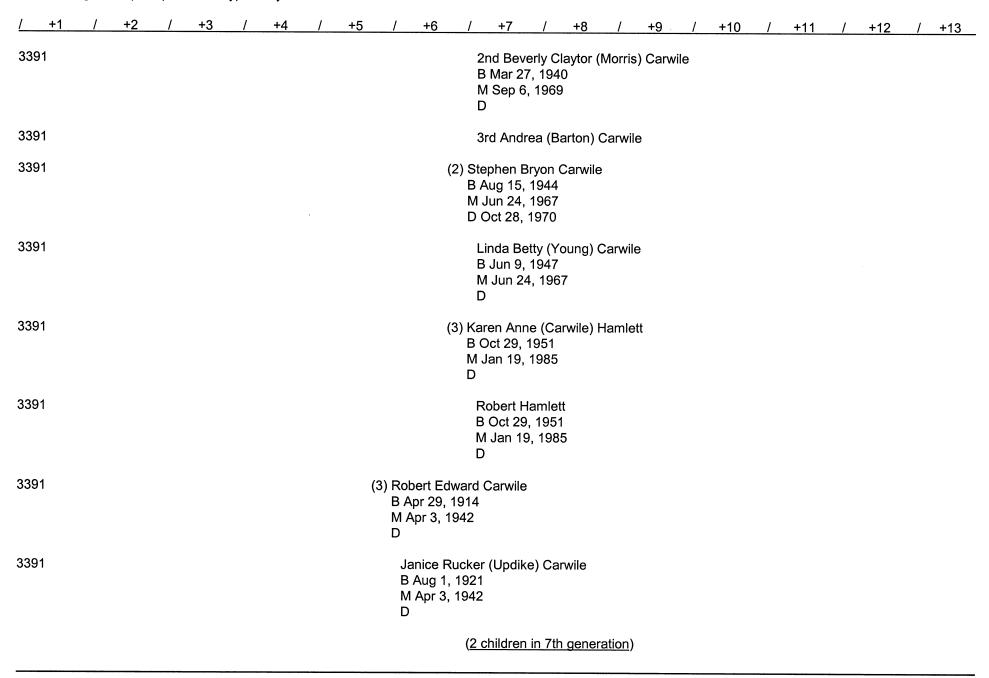
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3391	(5) Stratton Whitlow CardwellB Apr 24, 1909M NoneD Jan 7, 1985
3391	(6) Henry Milton Cardwell B Oct 5, 1911 M None D Jan 1996
3391	(7) James Woodrow Cardwell B Feb 22, 1914 M None D Jan 19, 1985
3391	(8) Landon Cardwell B Mar 18, 1916 M Oct 6, 1943 D Jul 10, 1982
3391	Kathleen Elizabeth (Pearson) Cardwell B Res @ Mississippi M Oct 6, 1943 D
	(2 children in 7th generation)
3391	(1) Lanny Cardwell B Feb 28, 1947 M None D Feb 28, 1947
3391	(2) Elizabeth Anne Cardwell B Mar 5, 1954 M D

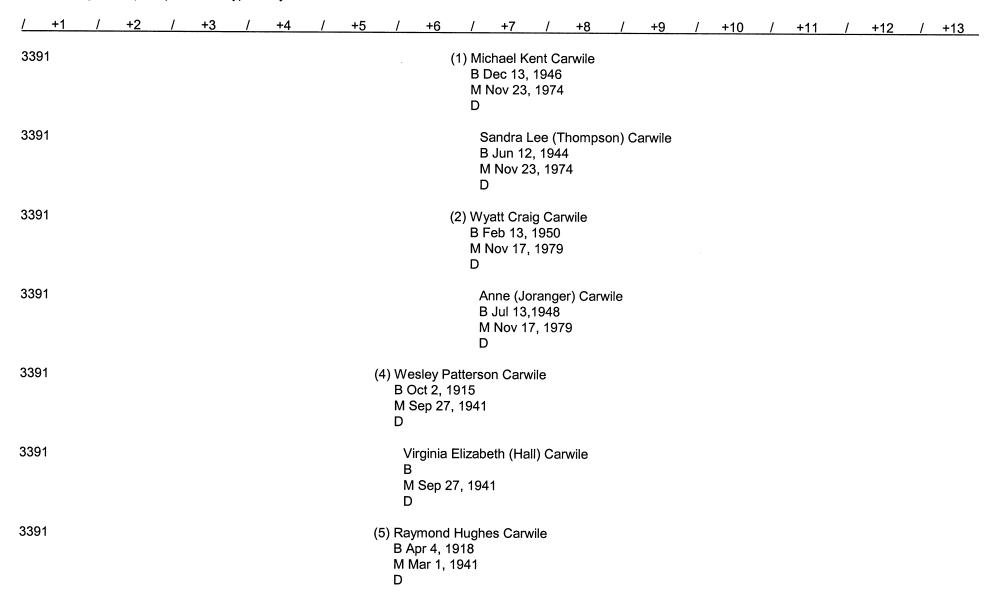


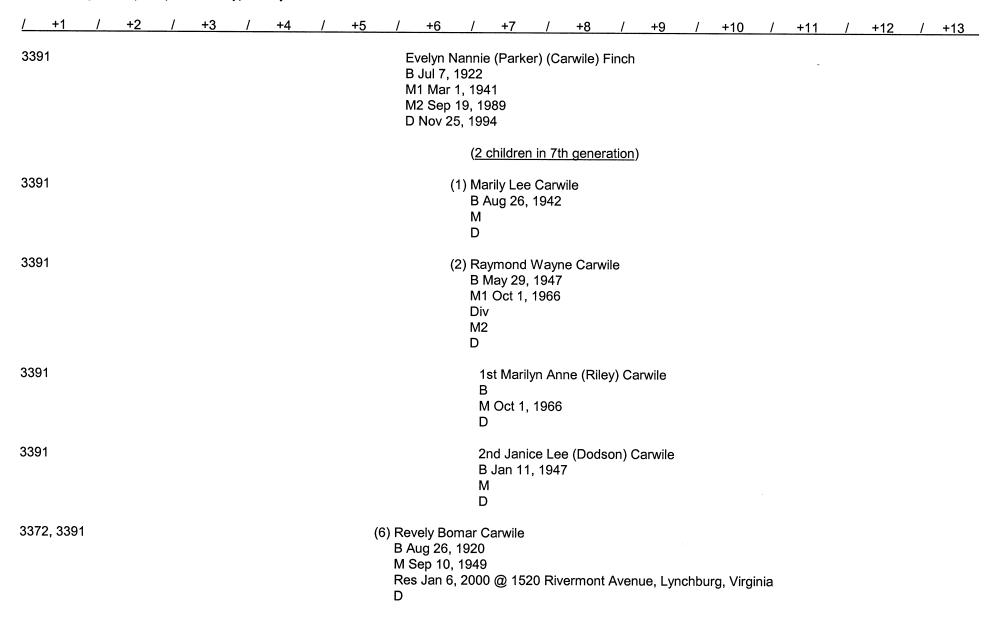


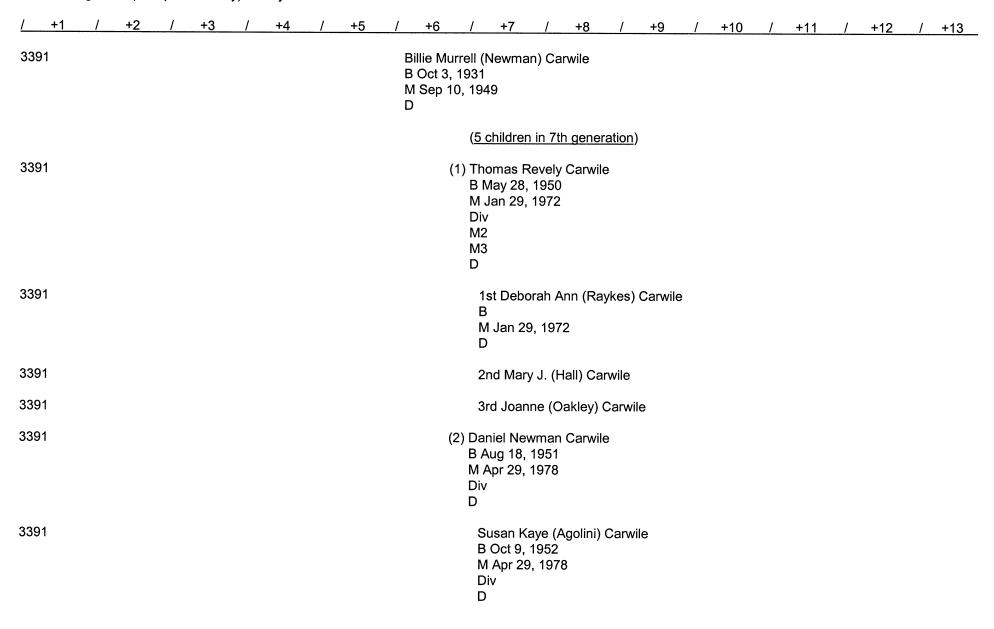


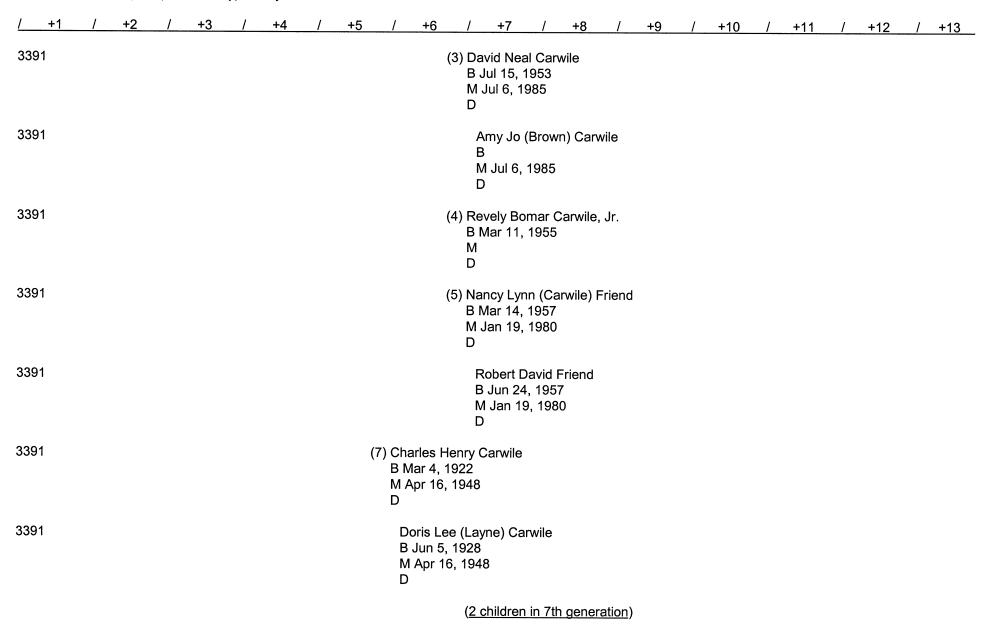
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	(11 children in 6th generation)
3391	(1) Nellie Beatrice Carwile B Dec 30, 1910 M D
3391	(2) Lewis Frederick Carwile B Jun 24, 1912 M Jan 31, 1941 D
3391	Dorothy Marie (Davis) Carwile B Oct 13, 1914 M Jan 31, 1941 D
	(3 children in 7th generation)
3391	(1) Stuart Frederick Carwile B Aug 26, 1942 M1 Aug 28, 1965 Div M2 Sep 6, 1969 M3 D
3391	1st Carolyn Wood (Gills) Carwile B M Aug 28, 1965 Div D

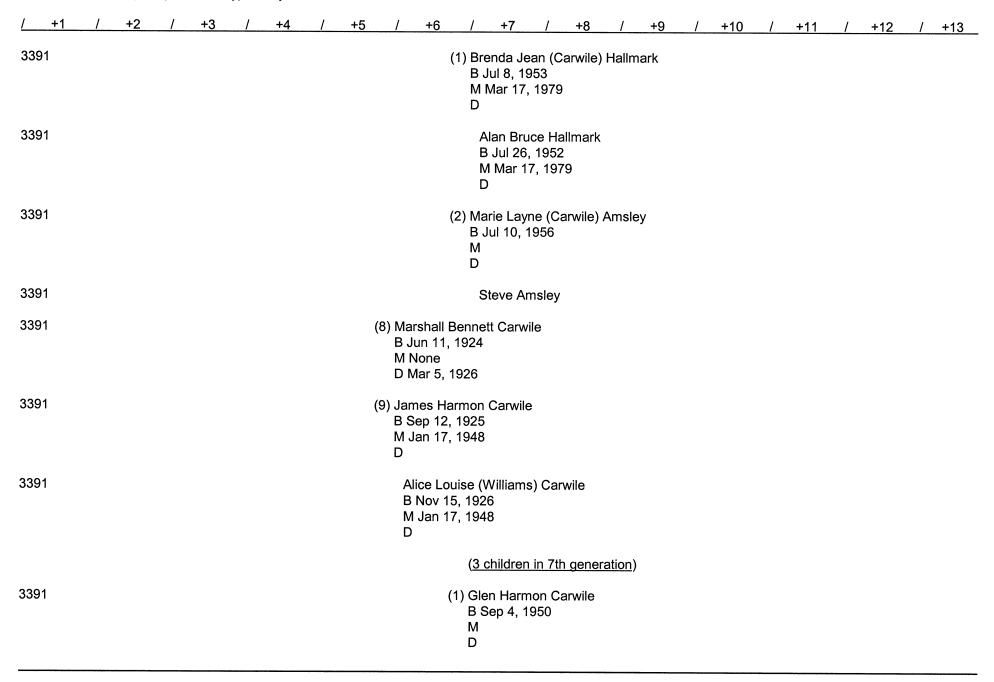


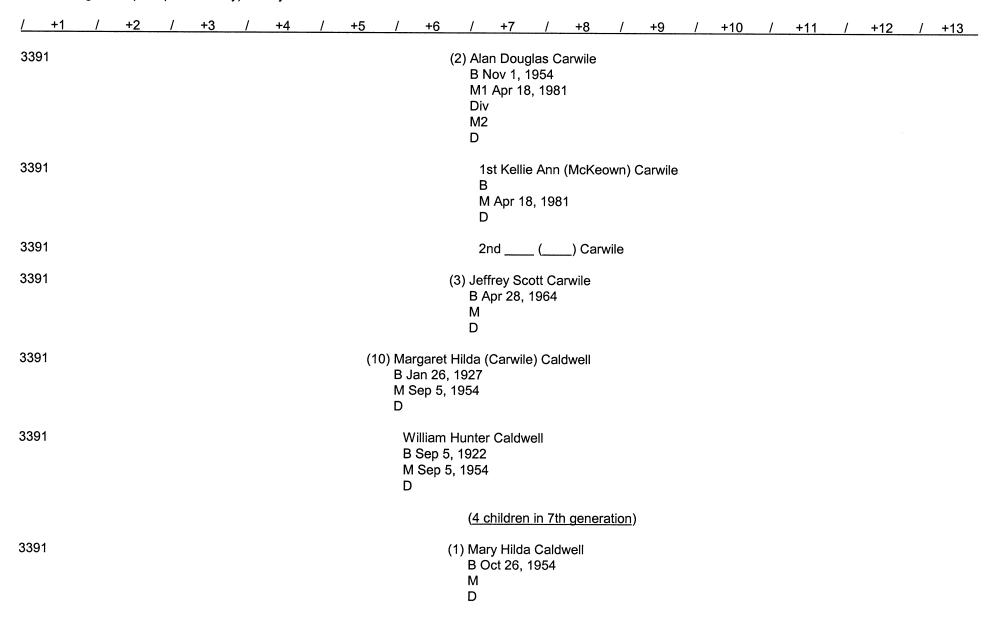




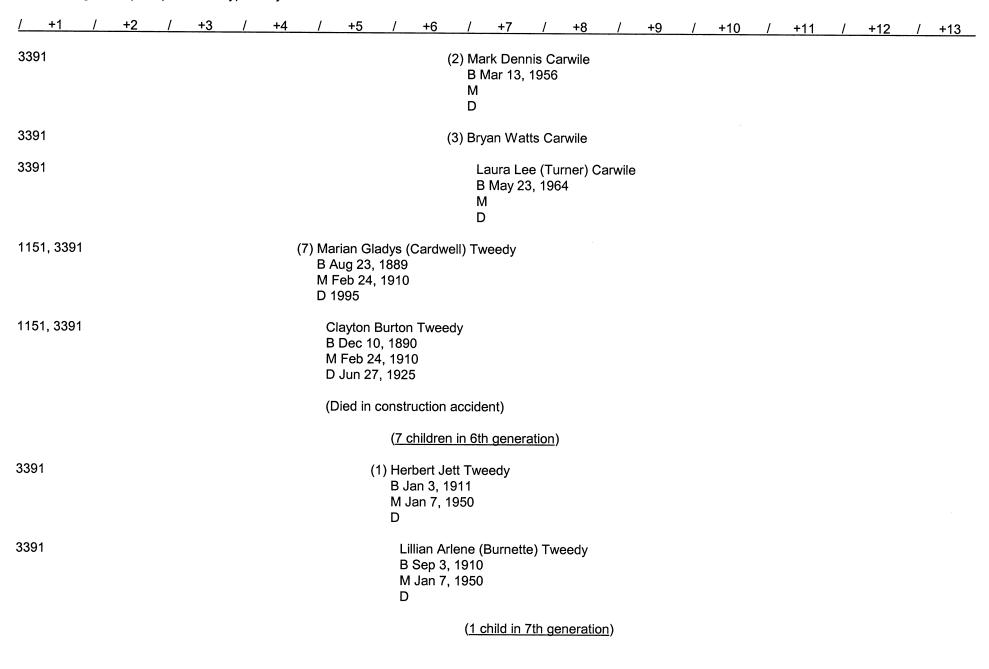


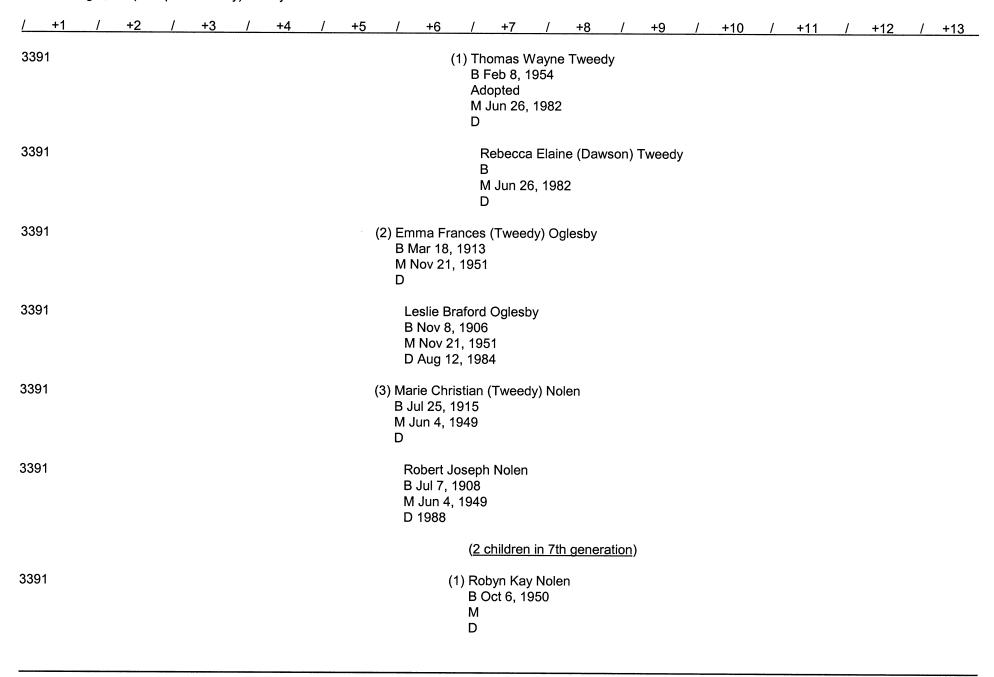


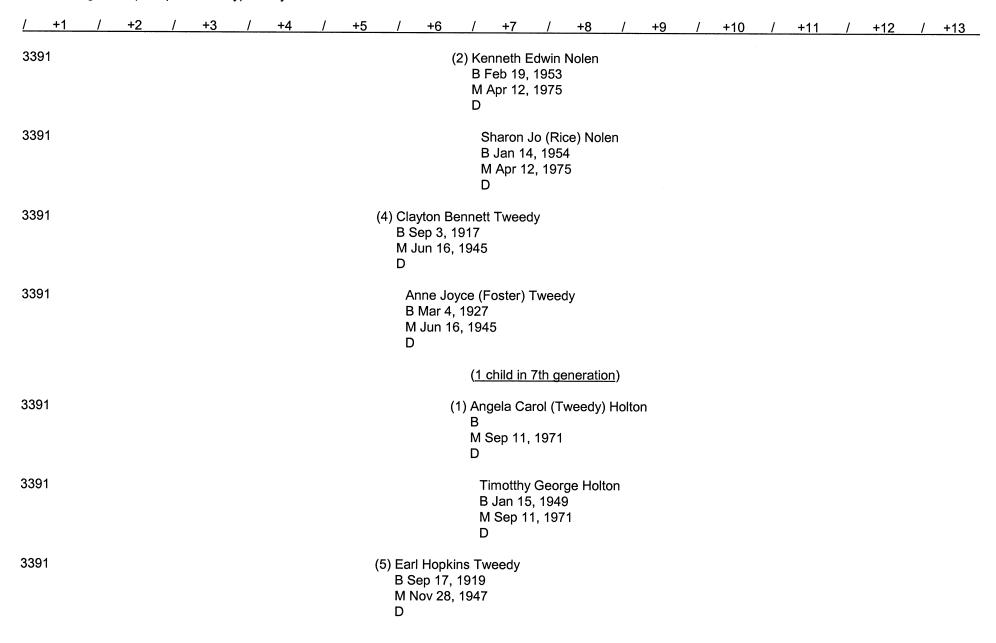




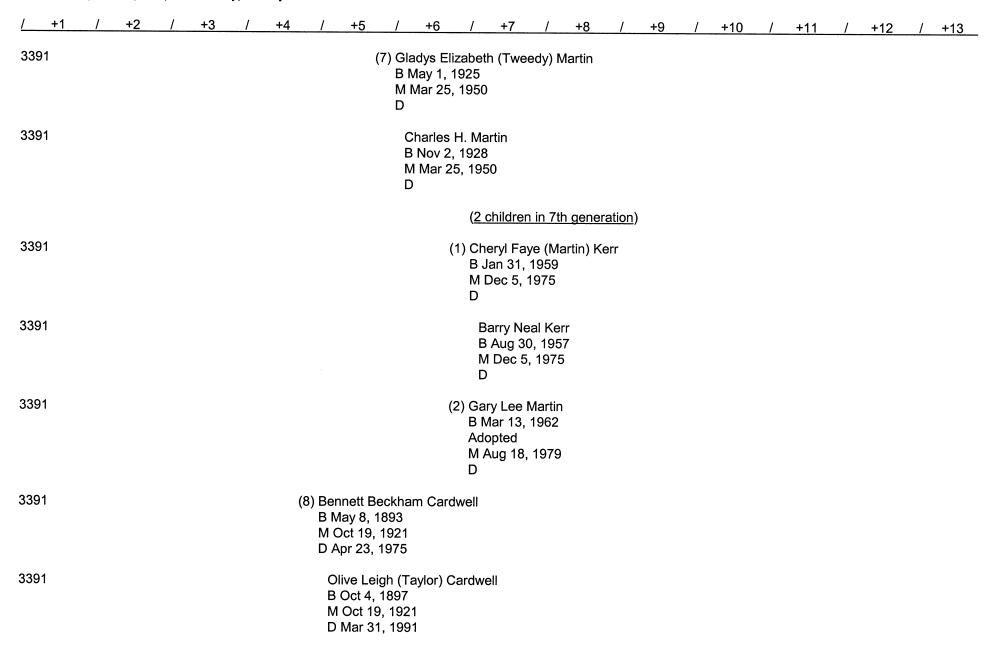
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3391	(2) Joseph William Caldwell B Mar 9, 1956 M D													
3391	(3) Virginia Louise (Caldwell) Brown B Dec 7, 1957 M D													
3391	Greg Brown													
3391	(4) Bennett Hunter Caldwell B May 11, 1962 M D													
3391	(11) Aubrey William Carwile B Sep 25, 1928 M Jan 29, 1954 D													
3391	Norma Jean (Riley) Carwile B Apr 1, 1935 M Jan 29, 1954 D													
	(3 children in 7th generation)													
3391	(1) Aubrey William Carwile, Jr. B Sep 22, 1954 M D													
3391	Betty Jonell (Epperson) Carwile B Jul 12, 1954 M D													

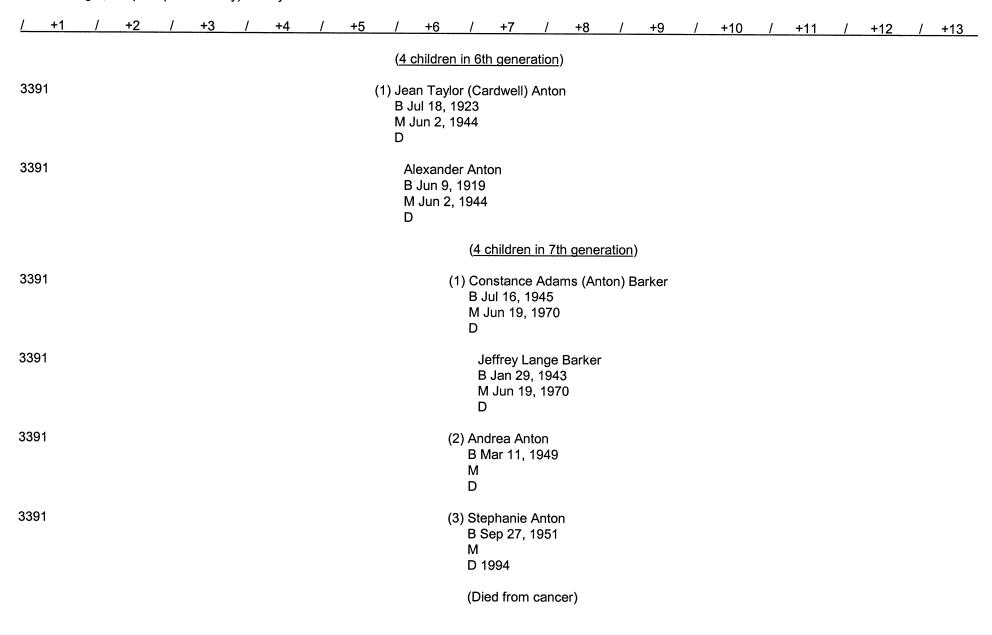


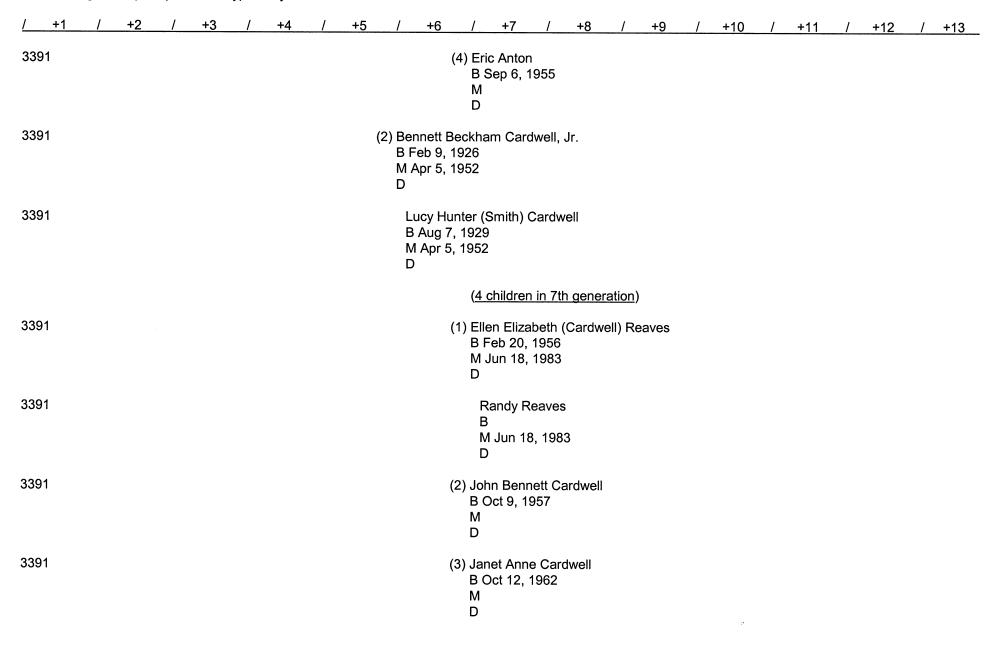


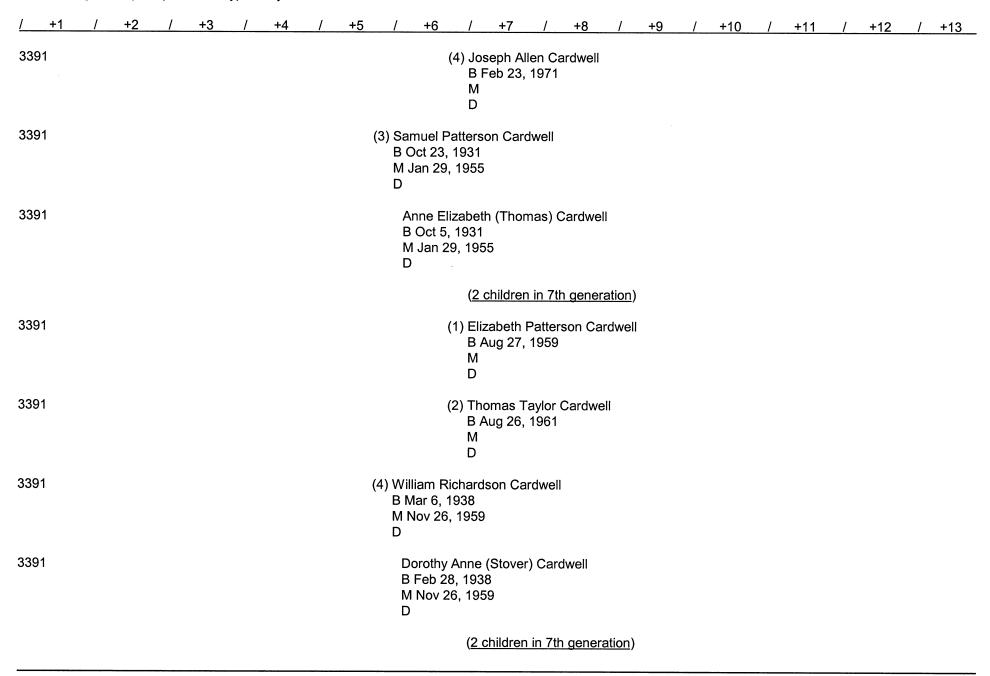


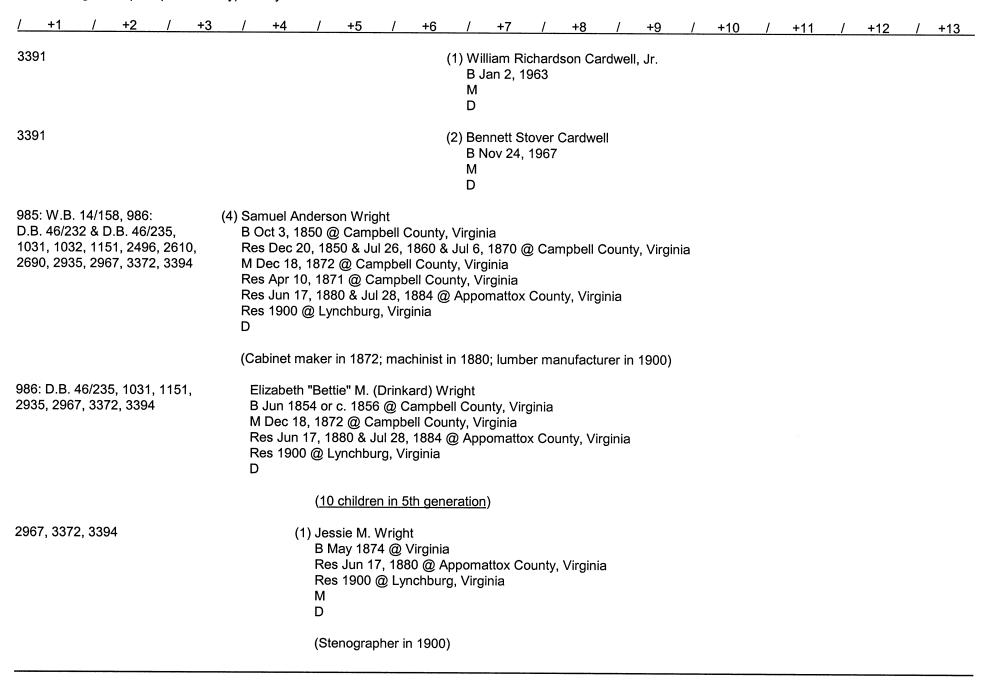
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3391	Glennie (Hargis) Tweedy B Sep 16, 1929 M Nov 28, 1947 D
	(1 child in 7th generation)
3391	(1) Doris Jean (Tweedy) Dalton B Dec 28, 1948 M Feb 23, 1976 D
3391	Ronnie Edward Dalton B Apr 9, 1953 M Feb 23, 1976 D
3391	(6) Marvin Cardwell Tweedy B Sep 5, 1921 M Jun 5, 1947 D
3391	Mary Frances (Evans) Tweedy B Mar 18, 1927 M Jun 5, 1947 D
	(1 child in 7th generation)
3391	(1) Ann Carol (Tweedy) Tucker B Nov 22, 1953 M Aug 18, 1979 D
3391	William Fainter Tucker, Jr. B Jun 15, 1952 M Aug 18, 1979 D











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2935, 2967, 3372	 (2) Mary Jane (Wright) Kent B Feb 8 1878 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jun 17, 1880 @ Appomattox County, Virginia M D
3372	T. Marvin Kent
	(1 child in 6th generation)
3372	(1) Margaret Kent
2967, 3372, 3394	 (3) Bessie Belle Wright B Jan 1879 @ Virginia Res Jun 17, 1880 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D
3372, 3394	(4) Walter Parry Wright B Mar 1881 @ Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D (Foreman at lumber company in 1900)
3372	Drucilla (Pankey) Wright
3372, 3394	(5) Sammie Annie (Wright) MartinB May 1885 @ VirginiaRes 1900 @ Lynchburg, VirginiaMD
3372	Hubert Harvey Martin

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3372, 3394	 (6) Ellen Katherine or W. V. Wright B Mar 1887 @ Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D
3372, 3394	(7) William Robert WrightB Mar 1889 @ VirginiaRes 1900 @ Lynchburg, VirginiaMD
3372	Mary (Diuguid) Wright
3372, 3394	 (8) Norman B. Wright or Norma Brenda (Wright) Gillespie B Jan 1891 @ Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D
3372	Gillespie
3372, 3394	 (9) Hallie V. (Wright) Turner B May 1895 @ Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D
3372	Frank Edward Turner
3372, 3394	(10) Nellie Brandon or C. Wright B Jul 16, 1897 @ Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D young

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985: W.B. 14/158, 986: D.B. 41/275, 1031, 1151, 2610, 2690, 2935, 2967, 3372, 3391	 (5) Jesse Hughes or Hubert Wright B Sep 13, 1854 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jul 26, 1860 & Jul 6, 1870 & Apr 20, 1877 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jun 11 & 12, 1880 @ Appomattox County, Virginia M Apr 25, 1877 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jul 23, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia D before Apr 24, 1889 (Miller in 1877; farmer in 1878; carpenter in 1880)
986: D.B. 41/275, 1031, 1151, 2935, 2967, 3372, 3391	Blanche Evelyn (Cardwell) (Wright) Goff B Oct 2, 1858 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Apr 20, 1877 @ Campbell County, Virginia M1 Apr 25, 1877 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jun 11 & 12, 1880 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Jul 23, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia M2 Apr 24, 1889 @ Campbell County, Virginia D Mar 20, 1940
	(1 child in 5th generation)
3391, 3372, 2935, 2967	 (1) Jesse Edwin Wright B Mar 26, 1878 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jun 11 & 12, 1880 @ Appomattox County, Virginia M D
3372, 3391	Avie (Wood) Wright
	(1 child in 6th generation)
3372	(1) Jessie Edwina Wright

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(1) William P. Wright

B Feb 1825 @ Virginia

Res 1845 & 1848 & Mar 6, 1849 & 1850 & 1852 & May 26, 1853 & Feb 24, 1854 @ Appomattox County, Virginia

M1 after Aug 15, 1850 & probably before 1853

M2 probably Nov 26, 1855

Res Feb 6, 1860 @ Appomattox County, Virginia

Res Jul 25, 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia

Res Sep 6, 1870 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia

Res Jun 2 & 3, 1880 @ Buffalo District, Prince Edward County, Virginia

Res Jun 17, 1900 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia

D 1910, buried @ Appomattox Presbyterian Church, Farmville, Prince Edward County, Virginia

(Carpenter in 1850; mechanic in 1860; enlisted as private in Company I, 42nd Virginia Infantry Regiment, Jul 11, 1861, at Lynchburg, Virginia, at Meadow Bluff, West Virginia, hospital Sep 20, 1861, at Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia, hospital Oct 23, 1861, absent through Dec 31, 1861, absent without leave Apr 1, 1862, present Sep 1, 1862, present through Oct 31, 1862, pending court-martial for being absent without leave, captured May 12, 1864, near Spotsylvania Court House, held at Point Lookout, Maryland, May 18, 1864, to Aug 3, 1864, at Elmira, New York, Aug 6, 1864 to Oct 11, 1864, at Point Lookout, Maryland, Oct 14, 1864 to Oct 29, 1864, exchanged at Venus Point, Savannah River, Georgia, Nov 15, 1864, furloughed for 30-day sick leave Nov 22, 1864, at Savannah, Georgia, at Farmville hospital Dec 20, 1864, for great debility with emaciation the result of diarrhea of 6 months standing, on sick leave or at Farmville hospital through Apr 1, 1865, furloughed Apr 1, 1865, for a 7-day sick leave; farmer in 1870 & 1880)

1530, 2988, 4365

1st Judith W. (Gannaway) Wright

B c. 1829 @ Appomattox County, Virginia

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D Aug 19, 1855 @ Campbell County, Virginia

(2 children in 5th generation)

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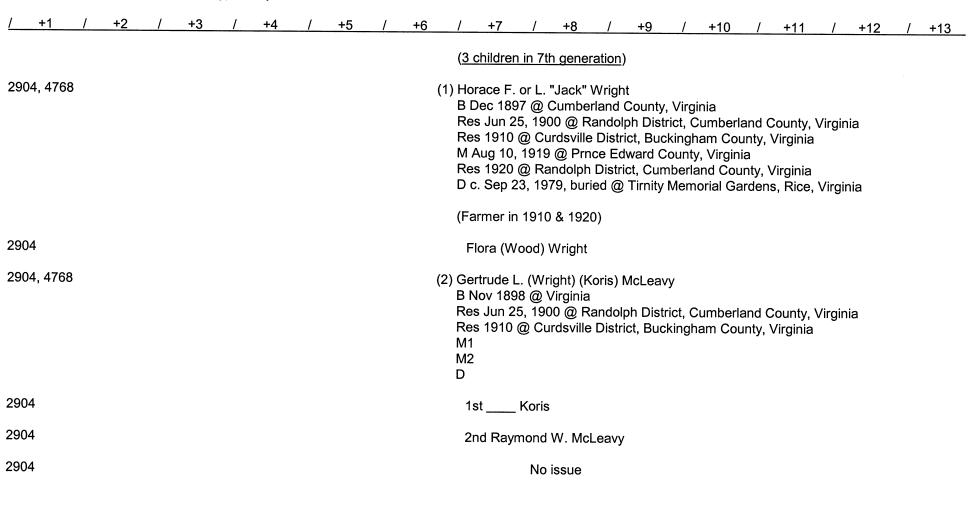
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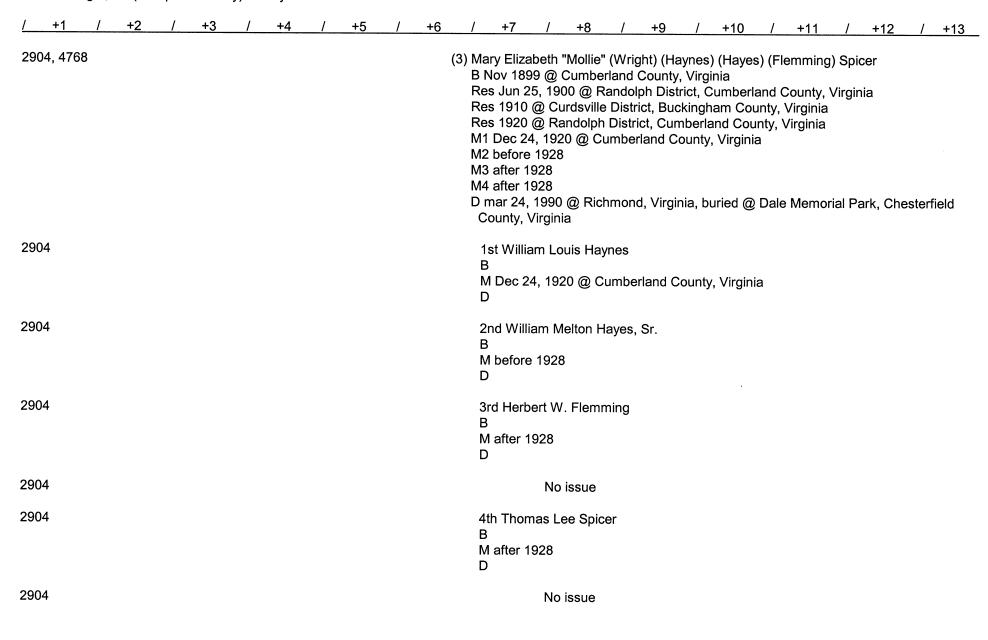
B c. Dec 1852 or Jan 1853

M None

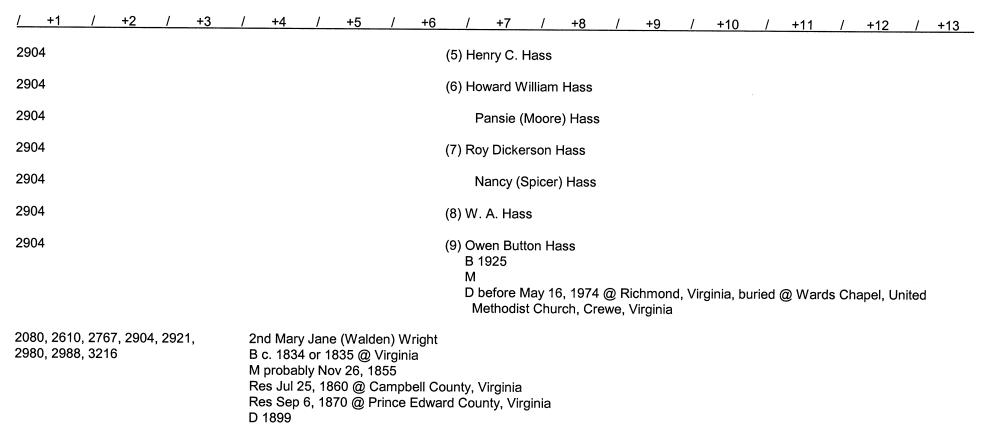
D Jul 3, 1853 @ Appomattox County, Virginia

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1480, 2058, 2610, 2767, 2904, 2921, 2988, 3153, 4768	 (2) Lafayette Clifton Wright B c. 1854 or Apr 1855 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res 1870 & Jul 20, 1874 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M Jul 22, 1874 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 2 & 3, 1880 @ Buffalo District, Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 25, 1900 @ Randolph District, Cumberland County, Virginia Res 1910 @ Curdsville District, Buckingham County, Virginia D
1480, 2058, 2904, 2988, 3153, 4768	(Farm laborer in 1870 & 1880) Sarah F. (Walden) Wright B c. 1844 or May 1847 @ Cumberland County, Virginia Res Jul 20, 1874 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M Jul 22, 1874 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 2 & 3 1880 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 25, 1900 @ Cumberland County, Virginia D
2058, 2904, 3153, 4768	(3 children in 6th generation) (1) William "Willie" John Wright B May 1875 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 2 & 3, 1880 @ Buffalo District, Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Dec 9, 1895 @ Cumberland County, Virginia M1 Dec 11, 1895 @ Cumberland County, Virginia Res Jun 25, 1900 @ Randolph District, Cumberland County, Virginia M2 after 1900 D
2058, 2904, 4768	(Farmer from 1895 to 1920) 1st Rosa Lee (Huddleston) Wright B May 1872 @ Cumberland County, Virginia Res Dec 9, 1895 @ Cumberland County, Virginia M Dec 11, 1895 @ Cumberland County, Virginia D





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2904	2nd Ada () Wright B M after 1900 D						
2904	No issue						
2904, 4768	 (2) Walter E. Wright B Apr 1883 @ Virginia Res Jun 25, 1900 @ Randolph District, Cumberland County, Virginia M D (Farm laborer in 1900) (3) Lizzie J. (Wright) Hass B Jun 29, 1889 @ Cumberland County, Virginia Res Jun 25, 1900 @ Randolph District, Cumberland County, Virginia Res 1910 @ Curdsville District, Buckingham County, Virginia M 						
	D May 16, 1974 @ Blacksburg, Virginia, buried @ Wards Chapel, United Methodist Church, Crewe, Virginia						
2904	Paul Hass						
	(9 children in 7th generation)						
2904	(1) Lucille (Hass) Fears						
2904	Joseph B. Fears						
2904	(2) Frances (Hass) Jones						
2904	Jones						
2904	(3) Paul L. Hass						
2904	(4) John W. Hass						



(7 children in 5th generation)

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2610, 2767, 2921, 2980, 2988, 3216, 4365, 4730	 (1) John Daniel Wright B Dec 4, 1859 or c. Jan 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jul 25, 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Sep 6, 1870 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 2 & 3, 1880 @ Buffalo District, Prince Edward County, Virginia M Jun 21, 1882 Res 1920 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia D Apr 25, 1935 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia, buried @ Appomattox Presbyterian Church, Farmville, Prince Edward County, Virginia (Farm laborer in 1880; tobacco farmer; manager of farm for Watt Dunnington and manager of Old Southall Place, Bondurant, Hard Times, Sandy Ford, and Stanley Park farms; farmer in 1900 & 1920; a very tall and big						
2980, 2988, 4730	man; died of a stroke) Willice Anne Rebecca (Gregory) Wright B Sep 15, 1862 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M Jun 21, 1882 Res Jun 17, 1900 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia D May 7, 1948 @ Williamsburg, Virginia, buried @ Oakwood Cemetery, Richmond, Virginia						
2988, 4365, 4730	 (10 children in 6th generation) (1) Annie B. (Wright) Eagle B Feb 1883 @ Virginia Res Jun 17, 1900 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M D Nov 23, 1908, buried @ Appomattox County, Virginia 						
2988	William Eagle (1 child in 7th generation)						
2988	(1) Eva (Eagle) Oliver						
2988	Charlie Oliver						

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B Mar Res Ji M Mar	William Wright 9, 1886 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia un 17, 1900 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia r 7, 1910 & Yanceyville, Caswell County, North Carolina c 2, 1959 @ Richmond, Virginia, buried @ Forest Lawn Cemetery, Richmond, Virginia
В Ар	na Virginia Louise (Fore) Wright or 19, 1890 @ Appomattox County, Virginia ar 7, 1910 @ Yanceyville, Caswell County, North Carolina
	(2 children in 7th generation)
2988	(1) Gordon Leigh WrightB Oct 1, 1911 @ Richmond, VirginiaM Nov 5, 1932 @ Richmond, VirginiaD Sep 7, 1960 @ Richmond, Virginia
2988	Katherine Essie or Essie Cathryn (Johson) Wright B Nov 30, 1911 @ Monroe, North Carolina M Jan 29, 1989 @ Richmond, Virginia D Sep 7, 1960 @ Richmond, Virginia
2988	(3) Linda Suewellyn (Wright) Hening B Aug 10, 1944 M D
2988	Locksley Paris Hening
2988	(4) Katherine Louise (Wright) GahanB Jan 18, 1951MD
2988	Joseph Gahan

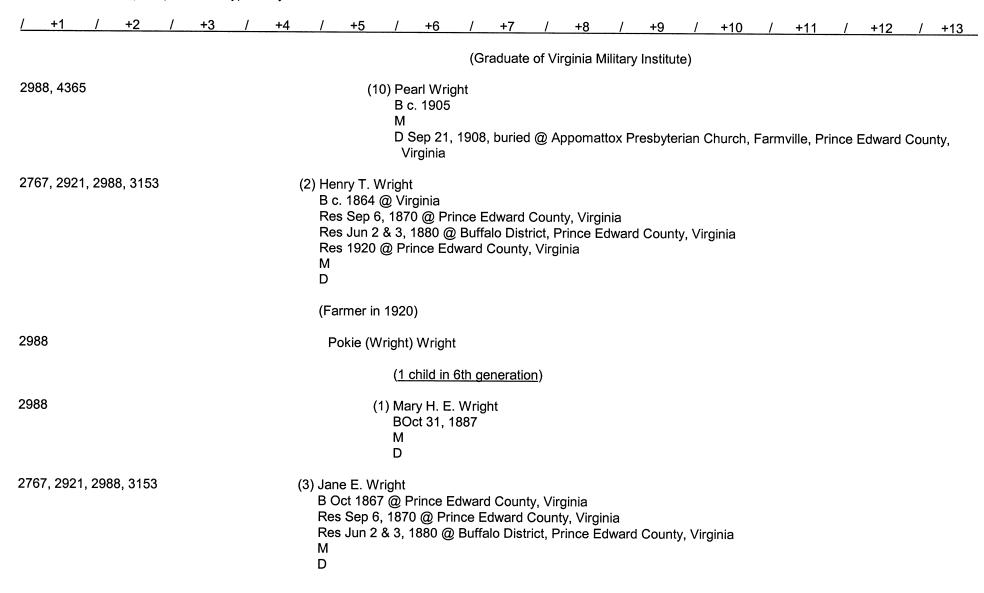
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2988	(2) Hazel Ann (Wright) TribbleB Sep 7, 1913 @ Richmond, VirginiaMD Aug 28, 1998							
2988	Oscar Tribble							
2988	No issue							
2988, 4730	 (3) Roxie Lee (Wright) Fore B Sep 1888 @ Virginia Res Jun 17, 1900 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M 1905 D Apr 14, 1979 @ Farmville, Prince Edward County, Virginia, buried @ West View Cemetery, Farmville, Prince Edward County, Virginia 							
2988	Richard Early Fore B M 1905 D buried @ West View Cemetery, Farmville, Prince Edward County, Virginia (11 children in 7th generation)							
2988	(1) Earle France Fore B M D 1968							
2988	Viola (Kirtley) Fore							
2988	(2) Margie Jeanette Fore B Feb 5, 1908 M D							

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2988	(3) John Anderson Fore B Jan 6, 1911 M D Feb 10, 1971						
2988	Beaulah (Banton) Fore						
2988	(4) Roy Trent Fore B 1918 M D Jan 6, 1996						
2988	Jewell (Daniels) Fore						
2988	(5) William Gray Fore B 1917 M D Jul 2, 1971						
2988	() Fore						
2988	(6) Pear (Fore) Rogers						
2988	Jack Rogers						
2988	(7) Martha L. (Fore) (Barksdale) Stephenson						
2988	1st Lawrence Barksdale						
2988	2nd Stephenson						
2988	(8) India (Fore) Claiborne						
2988	Irving Claiborne						
2988	(9) Elsie (Fore) Costner						

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2988	P. C. Costner								
2988	(10) Lila Lee (Fore) Robertson								
2988	D. Raymond Robertson								
2988	(11) Donald Joseph Fore								
2988	Phylis (Paulson) Fore								
2988, 4730	 (4) Thomas Henry Wright B Dec 16, 1890 @ Virginia Res Jun 17, 1900 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M None D Apr 15, 1957 @ Keoughton Veterans Hospital, Virginia, buried @ Oakwood Cemetery, Richmond, Virginia (Served as a private in U.S. Army in World War I, gassed in trenches; medical problems and poor health as a result) 								
2988, 4730	(5) Mary V. (Wright) Slocombe B Feb 6, 1893 @ "Hard Times", Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 17, 1900 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M Res @ Washington, D.C. D								
2988	Walter C. Slocombe B M Res @ Washington, D.C.								
	(4 children in 7th generation)								
2988	(1) Margaret Slocombe								
2988	(2) Helen Slocombe								

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(3) Florence Slocombe										
2988	(4) James Slocombe									
2988, 4730	 (6) Alice Roberta (Wright) Whitlow B Nov 1 or Dec 1895 @ "Hard Times", Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 17, 1900 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M D 1948 									
2988	Thomas Whitlow B M D 1935									
	(6 children in 7th generation)									
2988	(1) Thomas Harold Whitlow									
2988	(2) John Trent Whitlow									
2988	(3) Herman Lee Whitlow									
2988	(4) Edward Eugene Whitlow									
2988	(5) Louise Gertrude (Whitlow) Long									
2988	Long									
2988	(6) Selena Ann Whitlow									
2988, 4730	 (7) Watt Dunnington Wright B Sep 9, 1898 @ Virginia Res Jun 17, 1900 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M None D buried @ Appomattox Presbyterian Church, Farmville, Prince Edward County, Virginia 									

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2988						(8) Myrtie B M D Feb	Rebecca 18,1971			zzard								
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2767, 2921, 2988, 3153	 (4) Horace A. Wright B c. May or Jan 22, 1870 @ Buffaloe District, Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Sep 6, 1870 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 2 & 3, 1880 @ Buffalo District, Prince Edward County, Virginia M D
2921, 2988, 3153	 (5) Sallie N. Wright B 1872 Res Jun 2 & 3, 1880 @ Buffalo District, Prince Edward County, Virginia M D
2921, 2988, 3153	 (6) Wiley P. Wright B 1874 Res Jun 2 & 3, 1880 @ Buffalo District, Prince Edward County, Virginia M D
2921, 2988, 3153	 (7) Mary I. or J. Wright B August 1, 1875 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia Res Jun 2 & 3, 1880 @ Buffalo District, Prince Edward County, Virginia M D
1039, 1611, 2610	(2) Cynthia A. Wright B c. 1829 or 1830 @ Virginia Res Aug 15, 1850 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Jul 25, 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia M D
1031, 1039, 1611, 2610, 2690	(3) Elizabeth (Wright) Garvin B c. 1831 or 1833 or 1835 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Aug 15, 1850 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Jul 25, 1860 & Jul 9, 1870 @ Campbell County, Virginia M Aug 21, 1870 @ Campbell County, Virginia D

(Farmer in 1870)

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Thomas J. Garvin
B c. 1818 @ Campbell County, Virginia
M1
Res Aug 15, 1870 @ Campbell County, Virginia
M2 Aug 21, 1870 @ Campbell County, Virginia
D

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(4) Robert Daniel Wright B April 23, 1836 @ Virginia

Res Aug 15, 1850 @ Appomattox County, Virginia

Res Jul 25, 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia

M1 Apr 23, 1861 @ Greene County, Tennessee

Res Apr 17, 1867 @ Appomattox County, Virginia

M2 Apr 17, 1867 @ Appomattox County, Virginia

Res Jul 25, 1870 @ Campbell County, Virginia

Res Jun 10, 1880 @ Bedford County, Virginia

Sep c. 1880

Res c. 1880 @ Guilford County, North Carolina

M3 Dec 21, 1882 @ Guilfrod County, North Carolina

Res Nov 22, 1890 @ Guilford, North Carolina

Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Guilford County, North Carollina

Res May 2, 1910 @ Liberty, North Carolina

Res 1910 & 1920 @ Green Township, Guilford County, North Carolina

D Jul 13, 1923 @ Guilford County, North Carolina

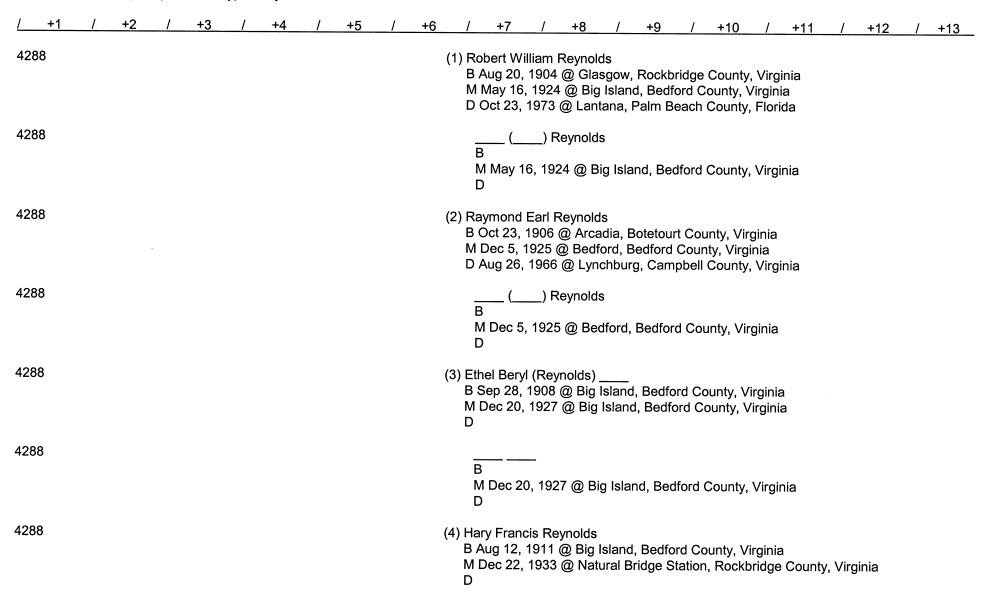
(Farm laborer in 1860; enlisted June 28, 1862, as a private in Company B, Adrian's Battalion Partisan Rangers, also known as the 12th Battalion Tennesse Cavalry under Colonel Joseph Wheeler, also known as Hardy's Squadron acting as escort for Major General John P. McCown from December 26, 1862, to January 3, 1863, in the Battle of Murfreesborough, absent sick in hospital in January and February 1863, nurse at Buckner Hospital, Ringgold, Georgia, from March 1 to April 20, 1863, present in Company B from March 1 to June 30, 1863, also known as 1st Tennessee Legion or Rucker's Legion Tennessee Cavalry, captured on August 27, 1863, at Jacksborough, Tennessee, prisoner at Camp Nelson, Kentucky, and on September 5, 1863, at Louisville, Kentucky, and from September 9, 1863, to January 22, 1864, at Camp Chase, Ohio, on January 24, 1864, at Rock Island Barracks, Illinois, volunteered on October 6, 1864, as a private in Company G, 2nd U.S. Voluntary Regiment, Union Army, present on March 1, 1865, at Fort Riley, Kansas, on April 28, 1865, at Fort Dodge, Kansas, on July 27 through August 1865 at Fort Lyon, Colorado Territory on escort duty, present in September and October 1865, mustered out of service November 7, 1865, at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas; farmer in 1870; laborer in 1880; 5' 10" tall; light complexion, blue eyes, light hair; farmer in 1900 & 1907 & 1910 & 1920)

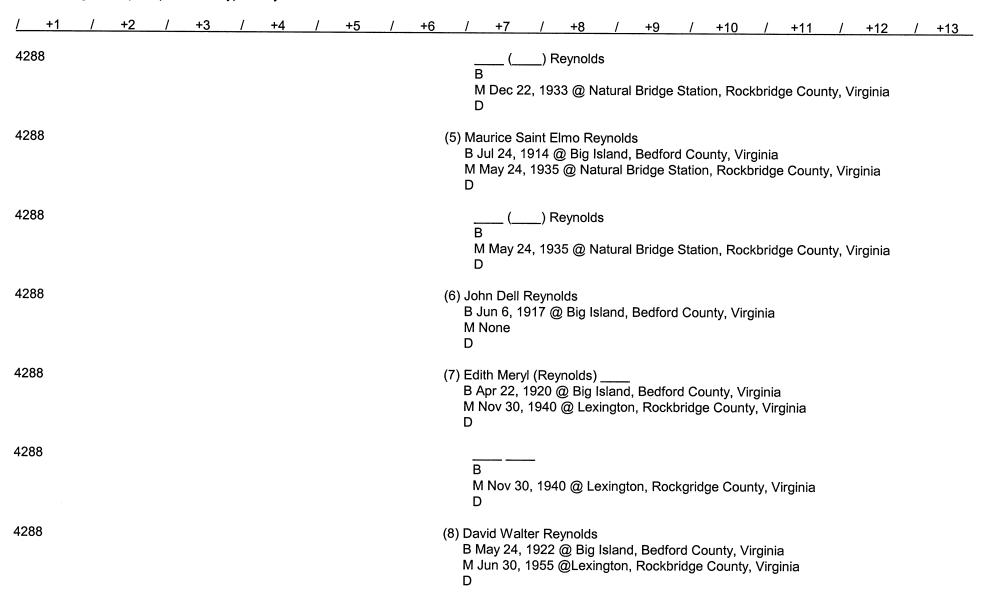
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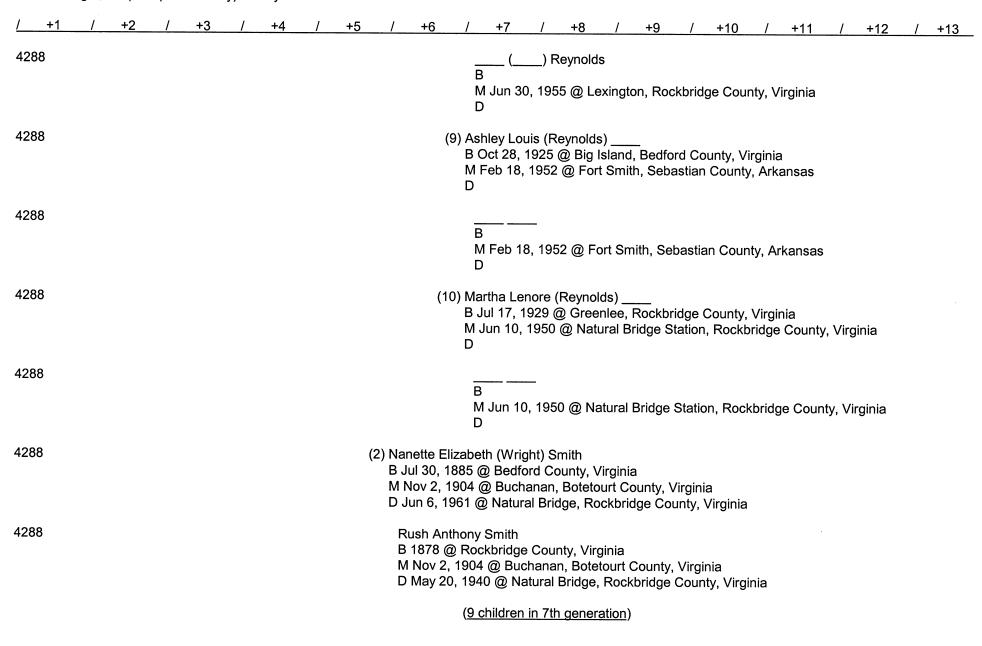
1st Elizabeth (Snow) Wright B M Apr 23, 1861 @ Greene County, Tennessee D probably c. 1862

(1 child in 5th level)

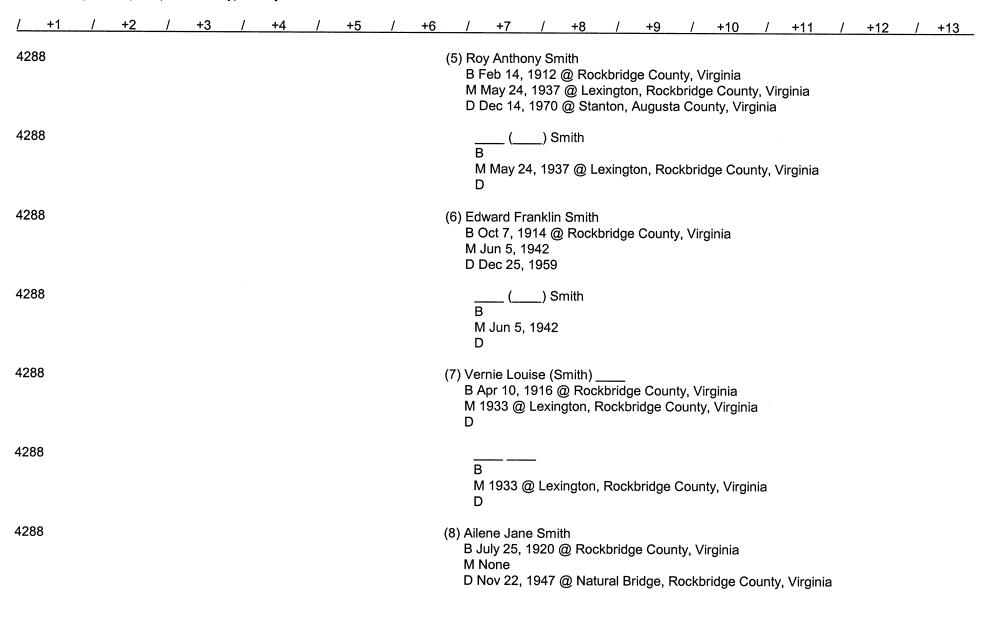
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1016, 2794, 2907, 4245, 4288	(Laborer on farm in 1880) 1st Leana Lowrey (Tolley) Wright B May 5, 1865 @ Bedford County, Virginia Res Jan 9, 1883 @ Bedford County, Virginia M Jan 10, 1883 @ Bedford County, Virginia Res 1910 @ Rocky Point Road, Buchanan District, Botetourt County, Virginia D Sep 17, 1914 @ Indian Rock, Botetourt County, Virginia, buried @ Highbridge Cemetery, Natural Bridge, Botetourt County, Virginia
4288	 (11 children in 6th generation) (1) Lenore Francis (Wright) Reynolds B Oct 16, 1883 M Oct 28, 1903 @ Arcadia, Botetourt County, Virginia D Dec 17, 1954
4288	Robert Walter Reynolds B May 1, 1876 @ Big Island, Bedford County, Virginia M Oct 28, 1903 @ Arcadia, Botetourt County, Virginia D Jun 16, 1965 (10 children in 7th generation)

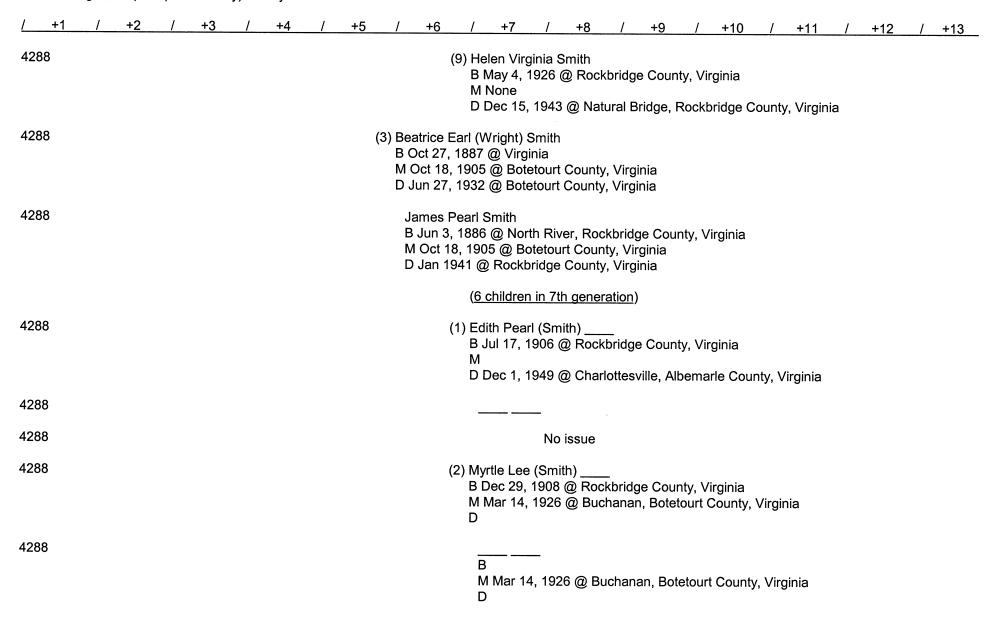


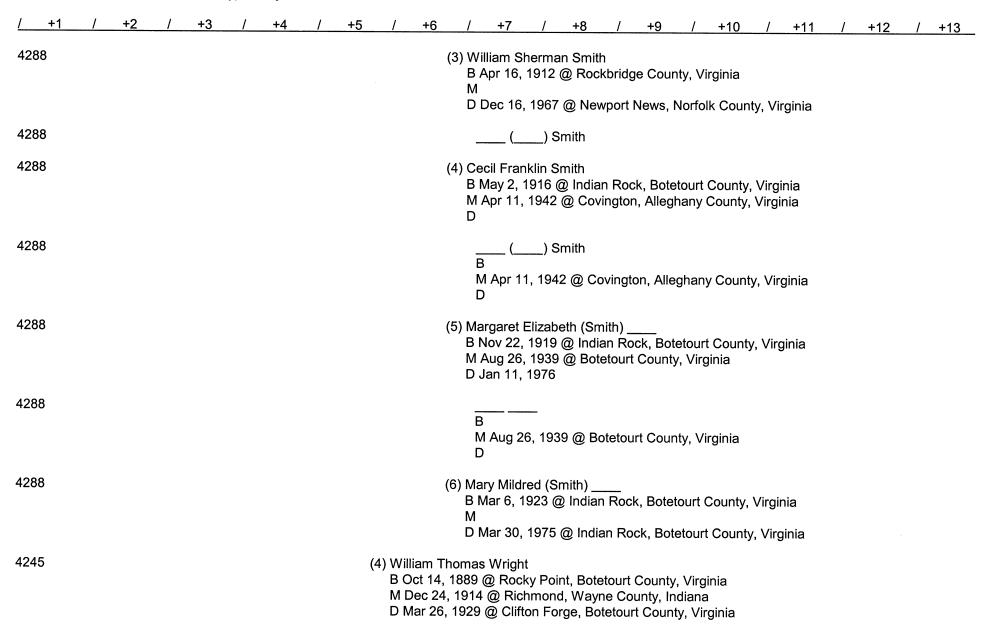


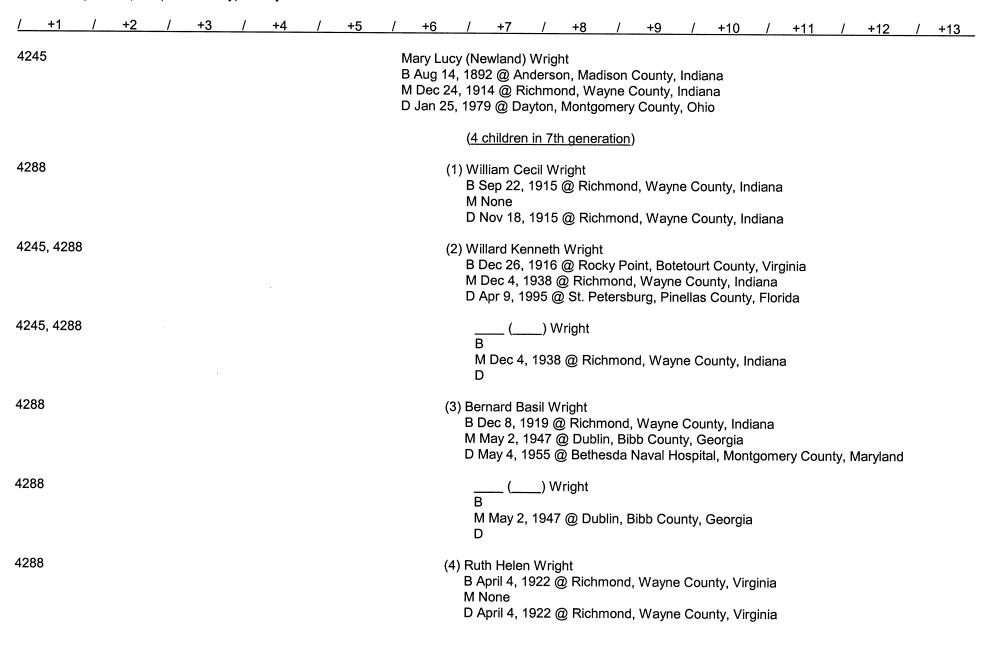


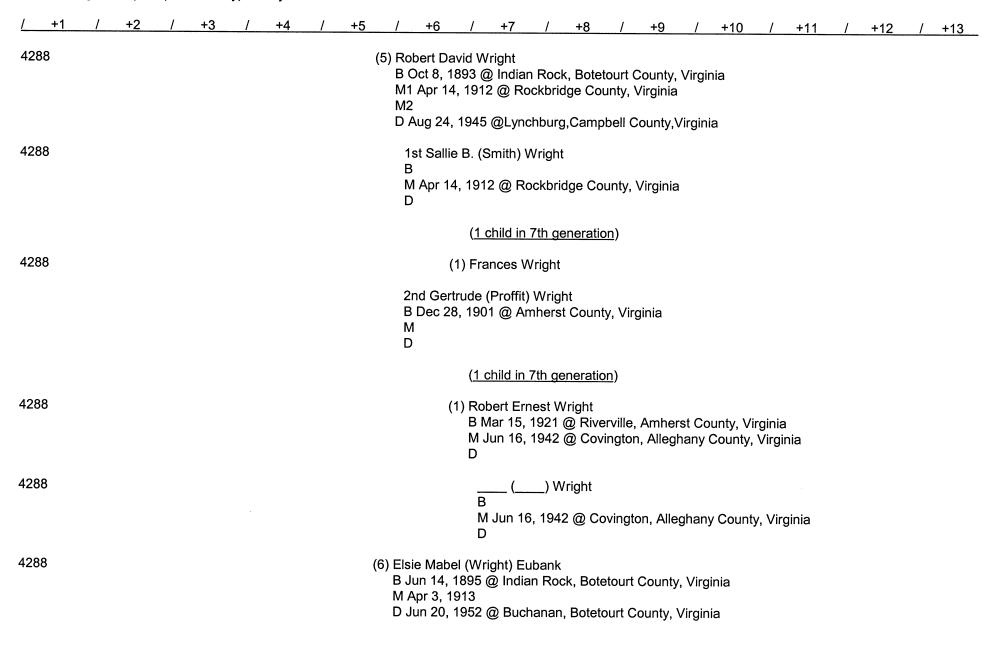
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4288	B M Nov 27 D	— 7, 1923 @ Buena Vista, Rockbridge County, Virginia
4288		ne (Smith) 907 @ Rickbridge County, Virginia 27 @ Glasgow, Rockbridge County, Virginia
4288	B M May 19 D	– 927 @ Glasgow, Rockbridge County, Virginia
4288		No issue
4288	M Dec 192	nore (Smith) 1909 @ Rockbridge County, Virginia 9 @ Lexington, Rockbridge County, Virginia 1930 @ Natural Bridge, Rockbridge County, Virginia
4288	B M Dec 19 D	– 929 @ Lexington, Rockbridge County, Virginia
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4288	M None	abeth Smith 1910 @ Rickbridge County, Virginia 1962 @ Waynesboro, Augusta County, Virginia



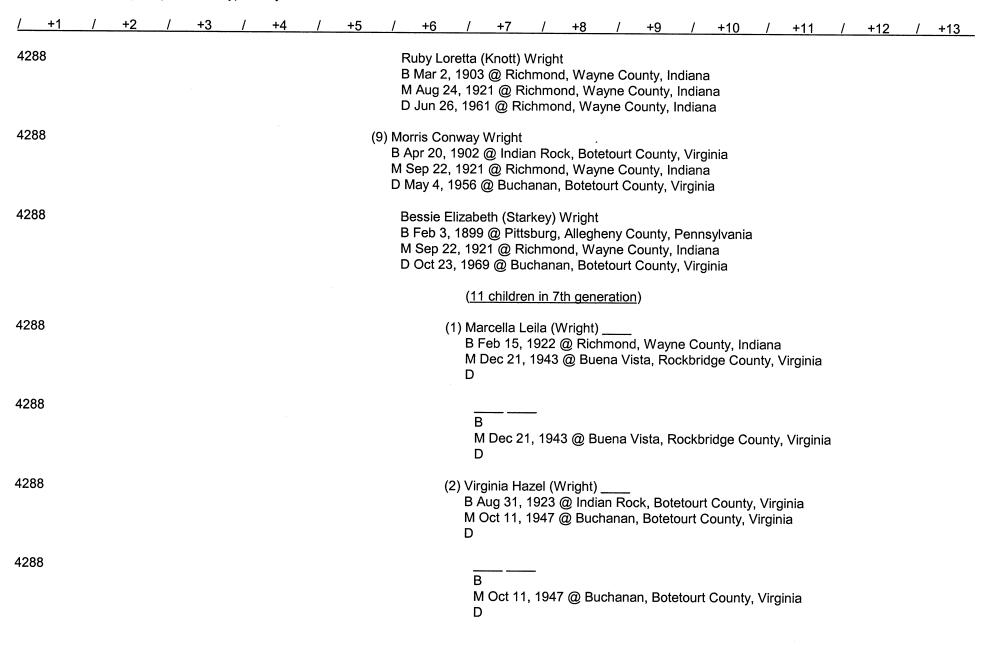


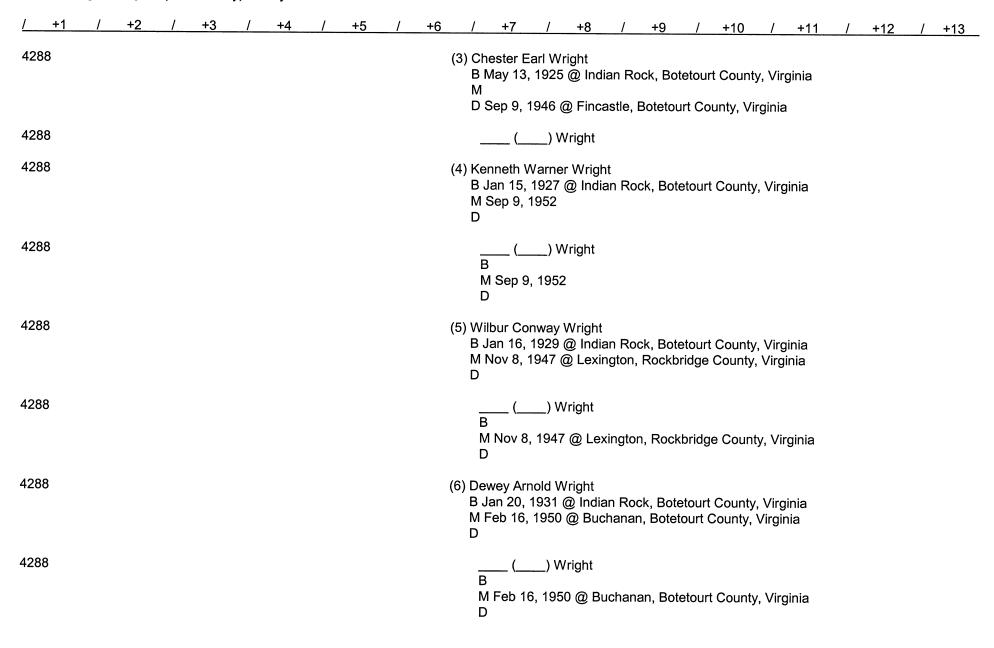


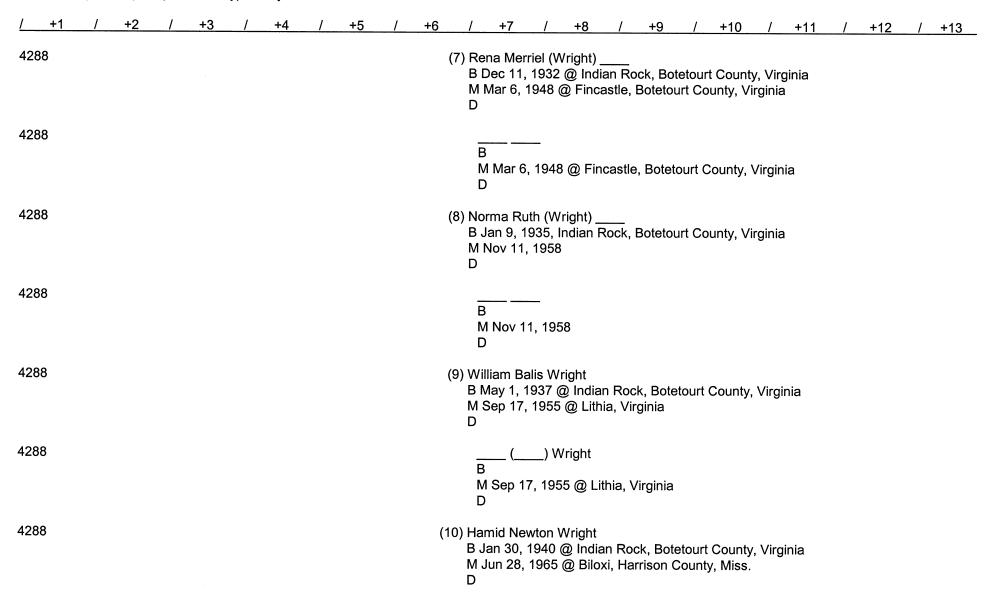


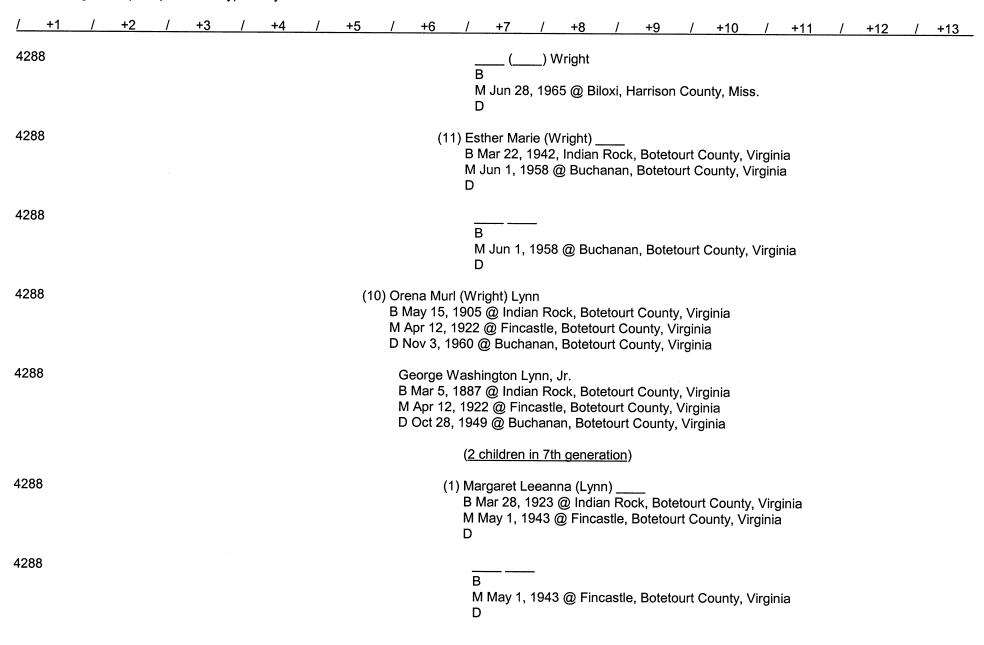


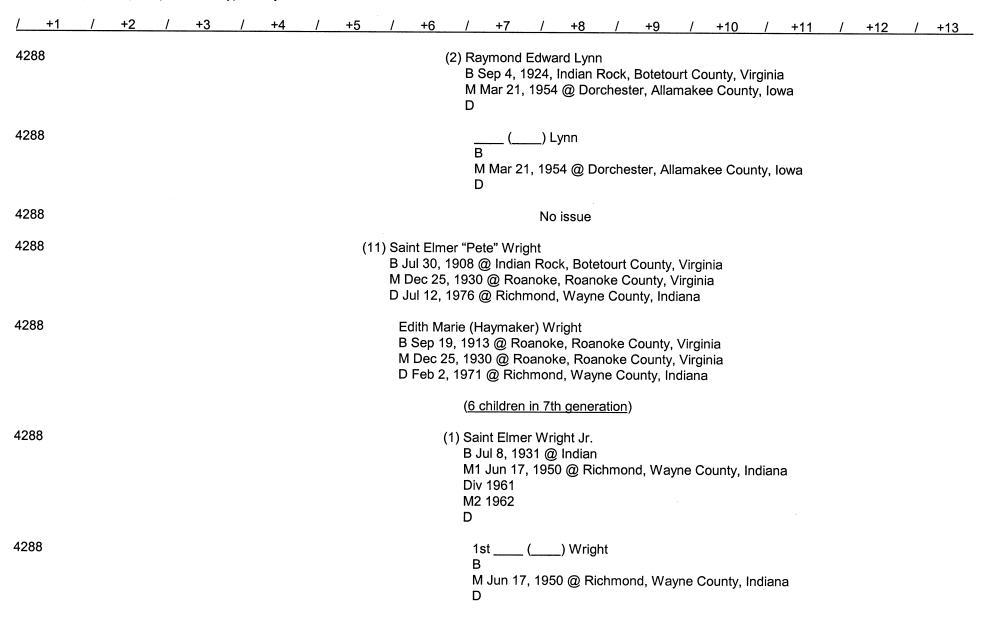
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4288	1st Annie Sue (Jones) Wright B May 28, 1897 @ Nelson County, Virginia M Jan 28, 1918 D Jul 3, 1970																				
4288									N	o issue											
4288	2nd Lillian Maude Jones (Tyre) Wright B Feb 20, 1902 @ Nelson County, Virginia M May 12, 1971 D Nov 27, 1972																				
4288									No	o issue											
4288	3rd Lydia Edna Guill (Staples) Wright B Oct 24, 1905 @ Lynchburg, Campbell County, Virginia M Mar 17, 1973 D																				
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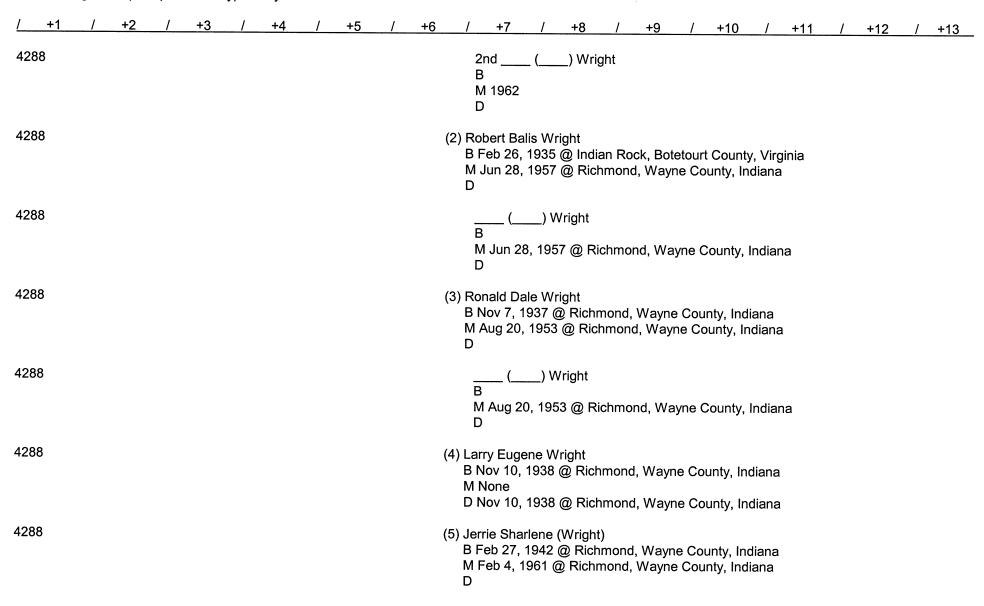


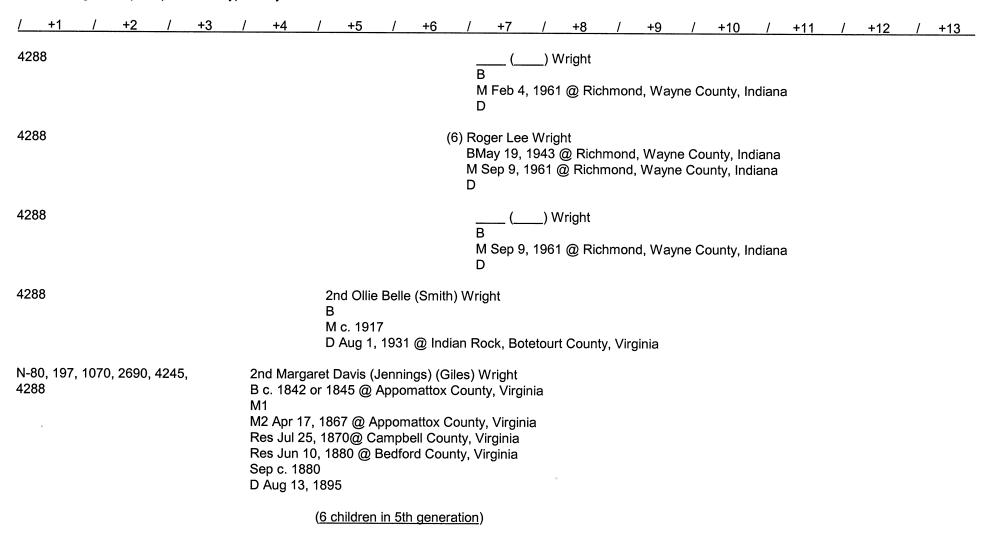


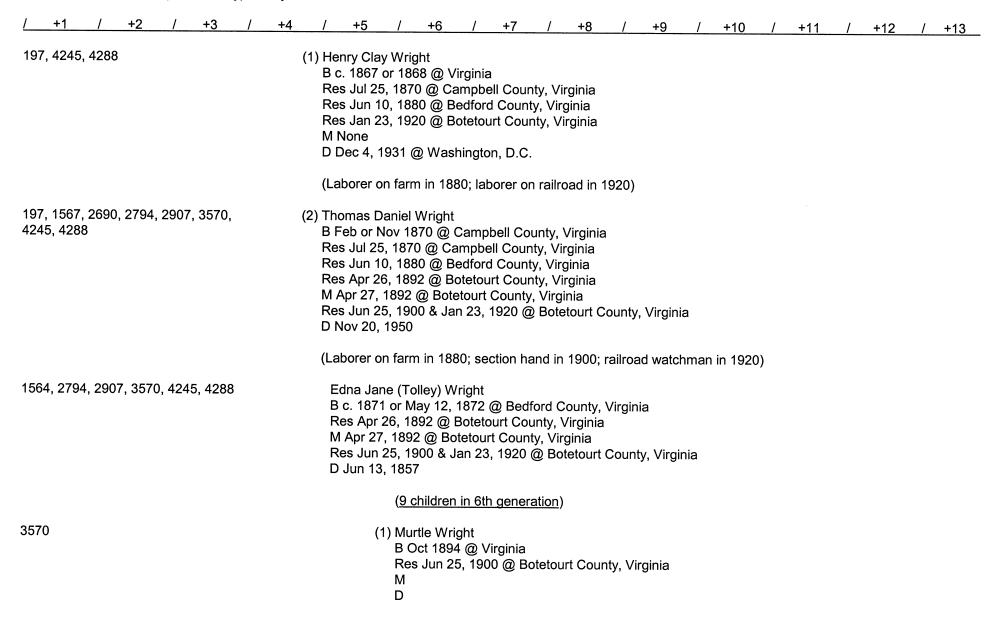


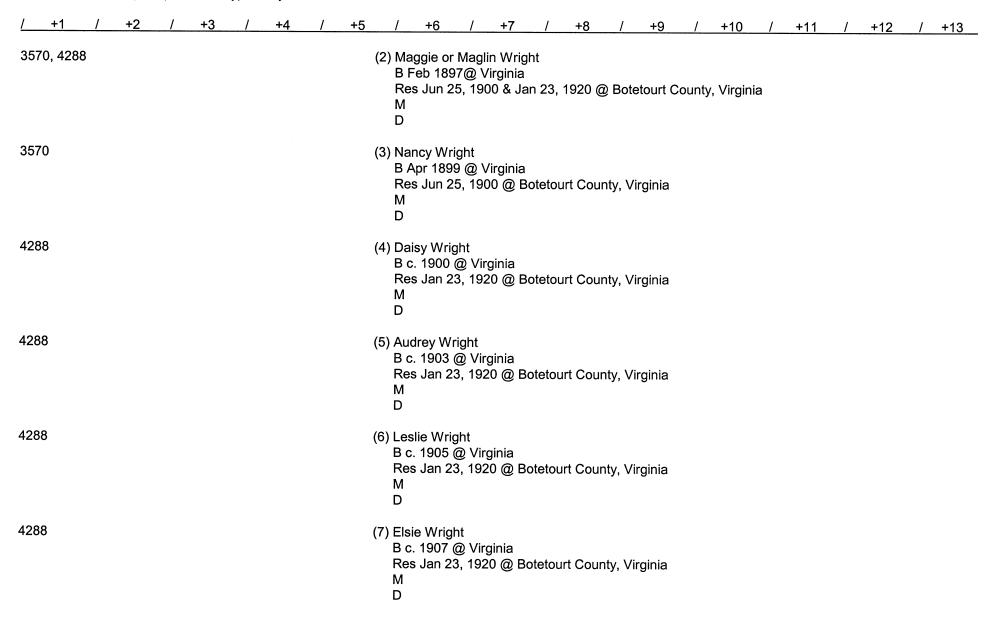


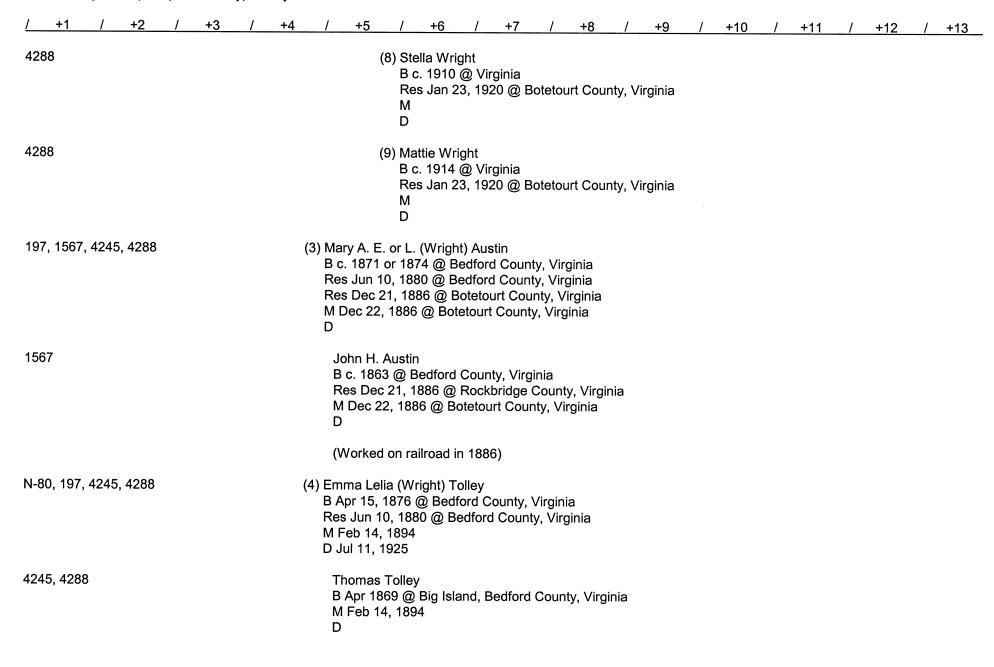






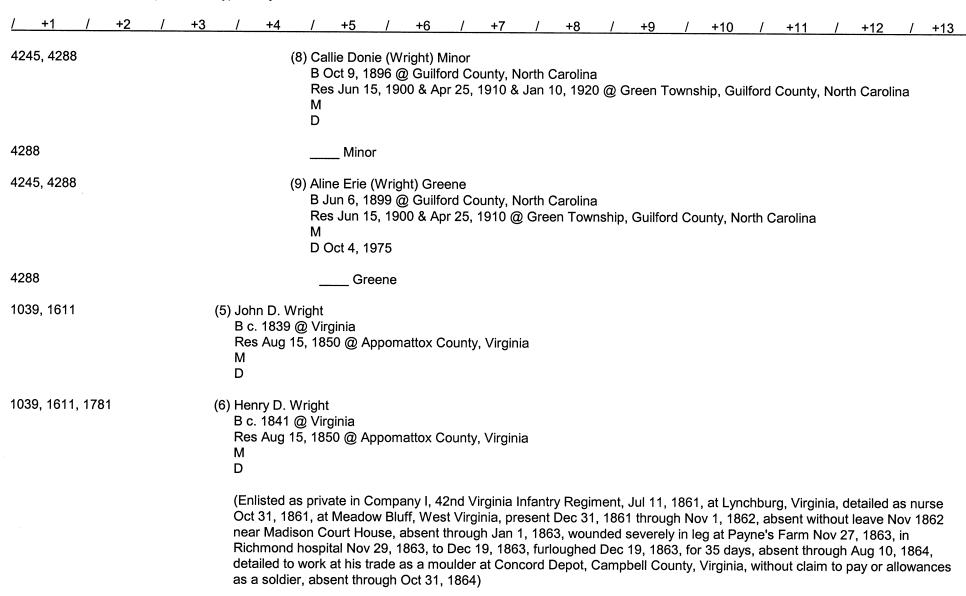






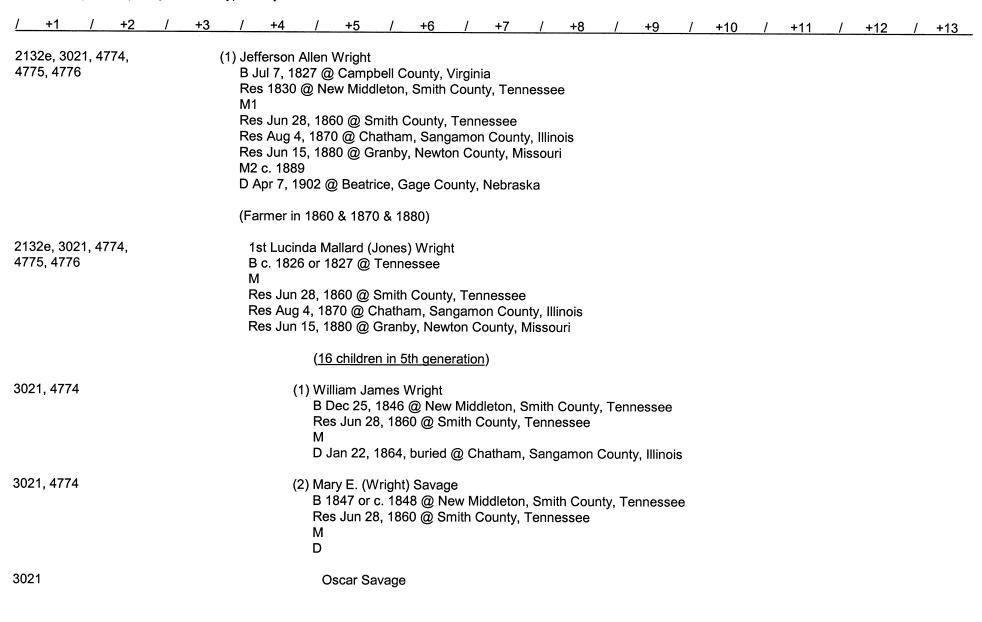
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4288	Waskey
4245, 4288	(6) Elizabeth (Wright) AustinB c. 1880 @ Bedford County, VirginiaMD
4288	John H. Austin
4245, 4288, 4288	3rd Margaret G. (Murray) Wright B Mar 1863 @ North Carolina M Dec 21, 1882 @ Guilford County, North Carolina Res Jun 15, 1900 & Apr 25, 1910 & Jan 10, 1920 & Aug 15, 1923 @ Green Township, Guilford County, North Carolina D (9 children in 5th generation)
4245, 4288	(1) Roxie Pocahontas (Wright) Robbins B Nov 1882 or Mar 20, 1883 @ Guilford County, North Carolina Res Jun 15, 1900 & Apr 25, 1910 & Jan 10, 1920 @ Green Township, Guilford County, North Carolina M D Mar 6, 1927 @ Guilford County, North Carolina
4288	Robbins
4245, 4288	(2) Willie Josephine (Wright) Reitzel B Oct 16, 1885 @ Guilford County, North Carolina Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Green Township, Guilford County, North Carolina M D Jul 1946

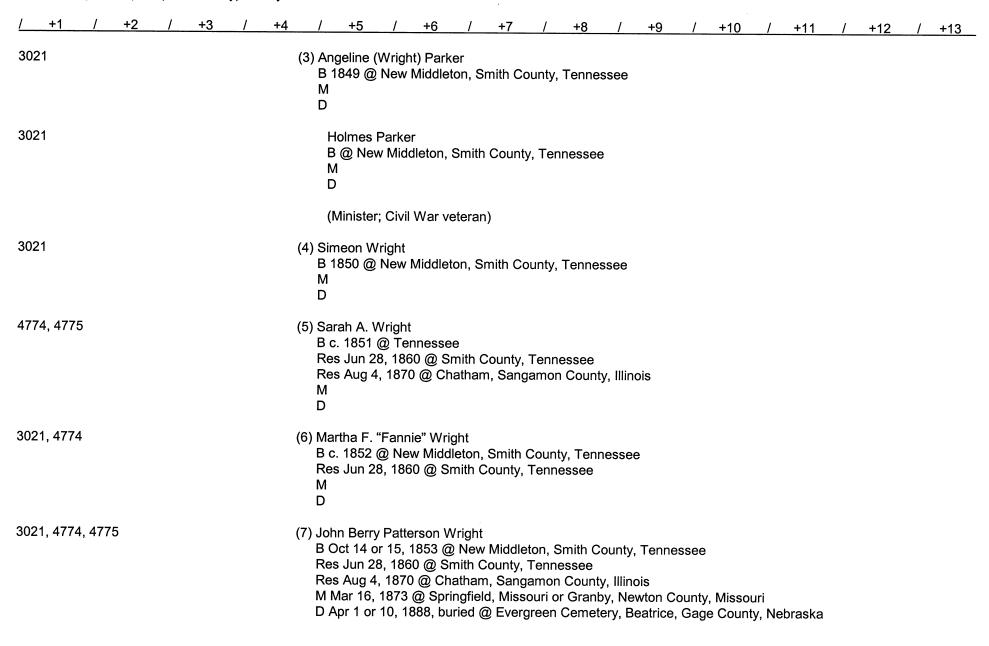
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4245, 4288	 (3) Henry Deskins Wright B Mar 9, 1887 @ Guilford County, North Carolina Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Green Township, Guilford County, North Carolina M D Jun 10, 1929
4245, 4288	(4) Lacy Monroe Wright B Oct 15, 1888 @ Guilford County, North Carolina Res Jun 15, 1900 & Apr 25, 1910 & Jan 10, 1920 @ Green Township, Guilford County, North Carolina M D Jan 4, 1958
	(Laborer in factory in 1920)
4245, 4288	(5) Earl Hicks Wright B Jul 17, 1890 @ Guilford County, North Carolina Res Jun 15, 1900 & Apr 25, 1910 @ Green Township, Guilford County, North Carolina M D Jul 1936
4245, 4288	(6) Ethel E. Wright B Jan 14, 1893 @ Guilford County, North Carolina Res Jun 15, 1900 & Apr 25, 1910 & Jan 10, 1920 @ Green Township, Guilford County, North Carolina M None D Mar 7, 1937
	(Mentally deranged in 1923)
4245, 4288	(7) Arthur Glen Wright B Nov 29, 1894 @ Guilford County, North Carolina Res Jun 15, 1900 & Apr 25, 1910 & Jan 10, 1920 @ Green Township, Guilford County, North Carolina M D Nov 8, 1967 (Laborer on farm in 1920)

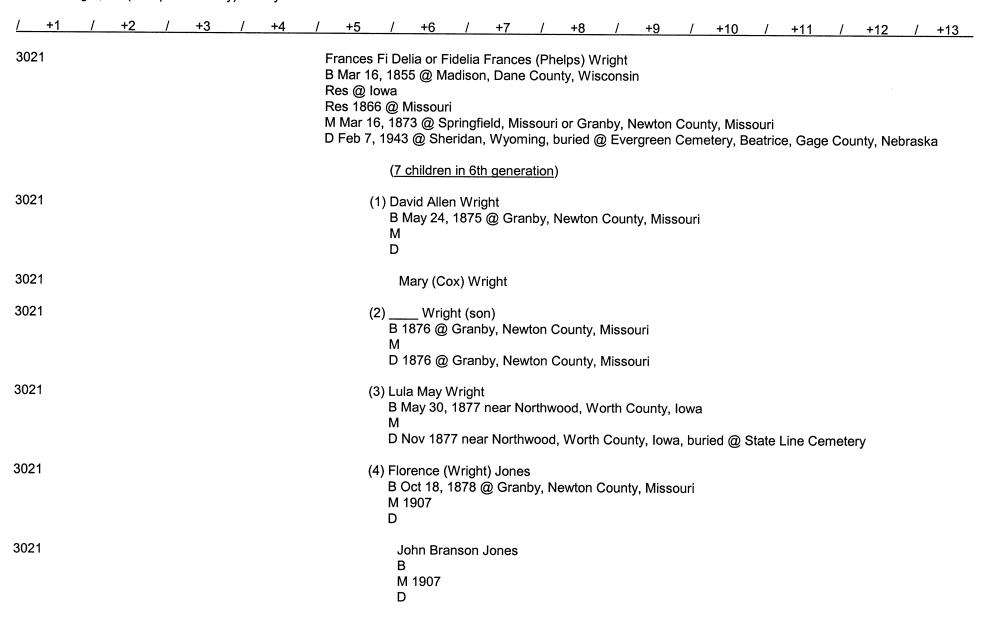


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1039, 1611, 2610, 2690	 (7) Mary A. Wright B c. 1845 or 1846 @ Virginia Res Aug 15, 1850 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Jul 25, 1860 & Jul 9, 1870 @ Campbell County, Virginia M D
1039, 1611, 2610	 (8) Nancy M. Wright B c. 1847 or 1849 @ Virginia Res Aug 15, 1850 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Jul 25, 1860 @ Campbell County, Virginia M D
N-131, 986: D.B. 16/7, 1031, 1151, 2132e, 2082, 3021, 4773	(5) Elijah Allen Wright B c. 1805 or 1807 Res Mar 10, 1825 & Feb 16, 1826 @ Campbell County, Virginia M bond Sep 12, 1826, m Sep 14, 1826 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Nov 23, 1826 & Mar 26, 1827 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jul 7, 1827 @ Virginia Res Mar 1, 1828 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res 1830 & Aug 23, 1831 & Apr 26, 1834 & Sep 10, 1837 & Sep 3, 1840 & Jun 28, 1860 @ Smith County, Tennessee Res @ Chatham, Illinois Res @ Missouri D Mar 5, 1875 @ Granby, Newton County, Missouri
N-131, 986: D.B. 16/7, 1031, 1151, 2132e, 3021, 4773, 4776	Elizabeth M. or Mildred Elizabeth (Boley) Wright B c. 1803 @ Virginia M bond Sep 12, 1826, m Sep 14, 1826 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Nov 23, 1826 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res Jun 28, 1860 @ Smith County, Tennessee Res Jun 15, 1880 @ Granby, Newton County, Missouri D 1884 @ Granby, Newton County, Missouri
	(5 children in 4th generation at pages 118 & 125 & 126)

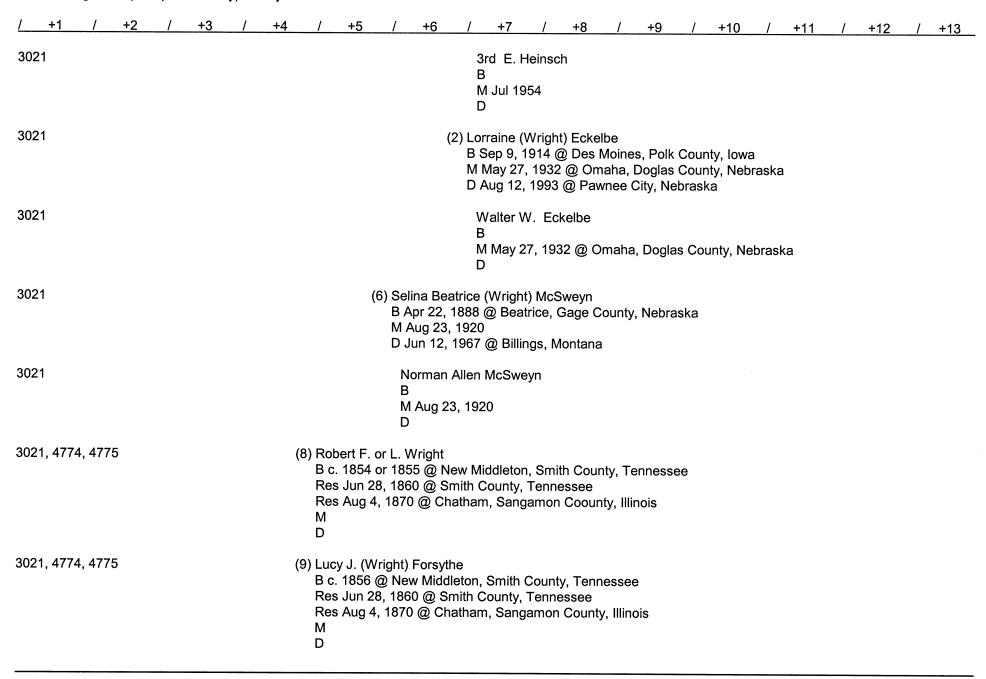
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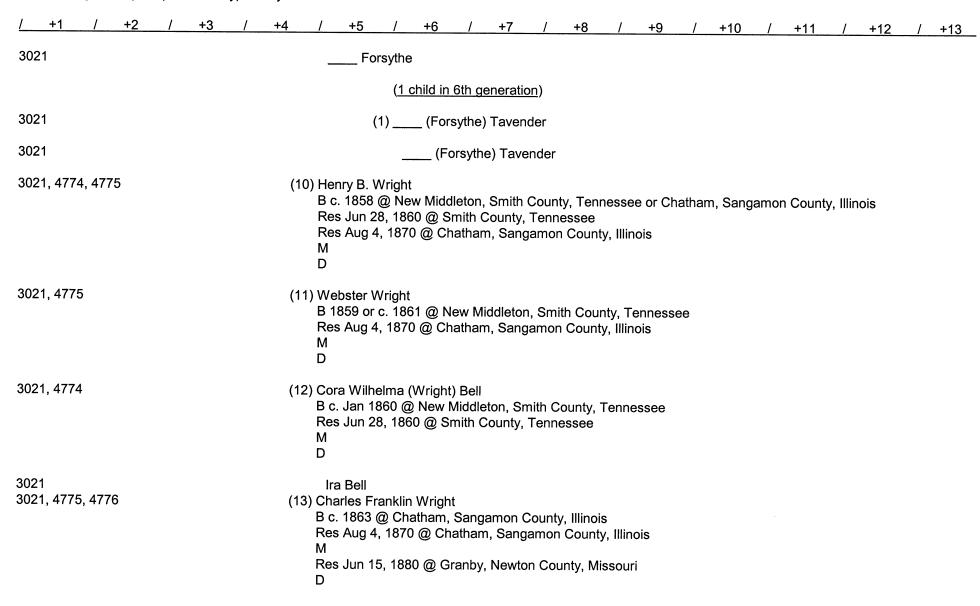


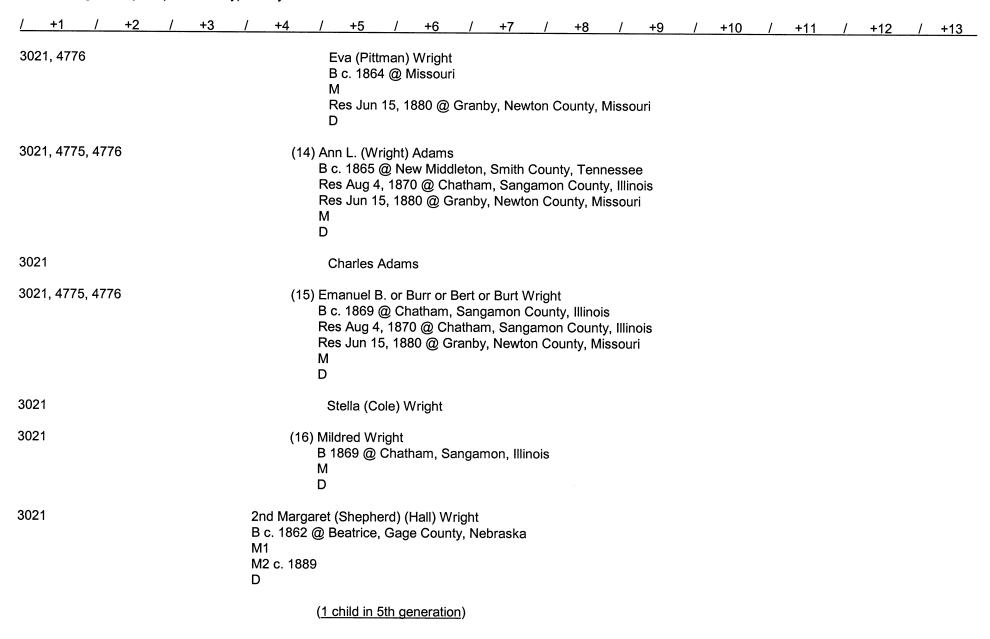


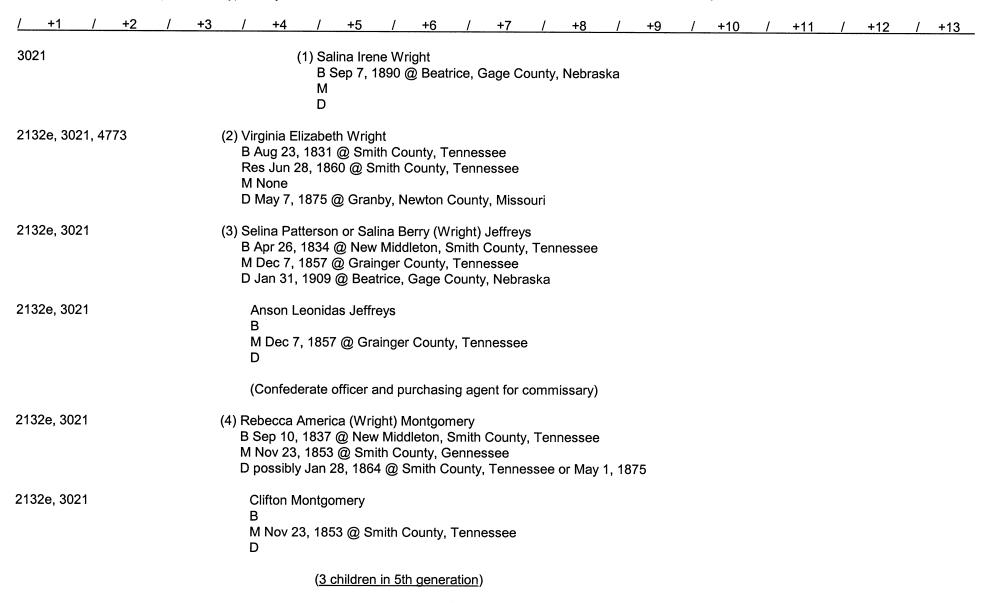


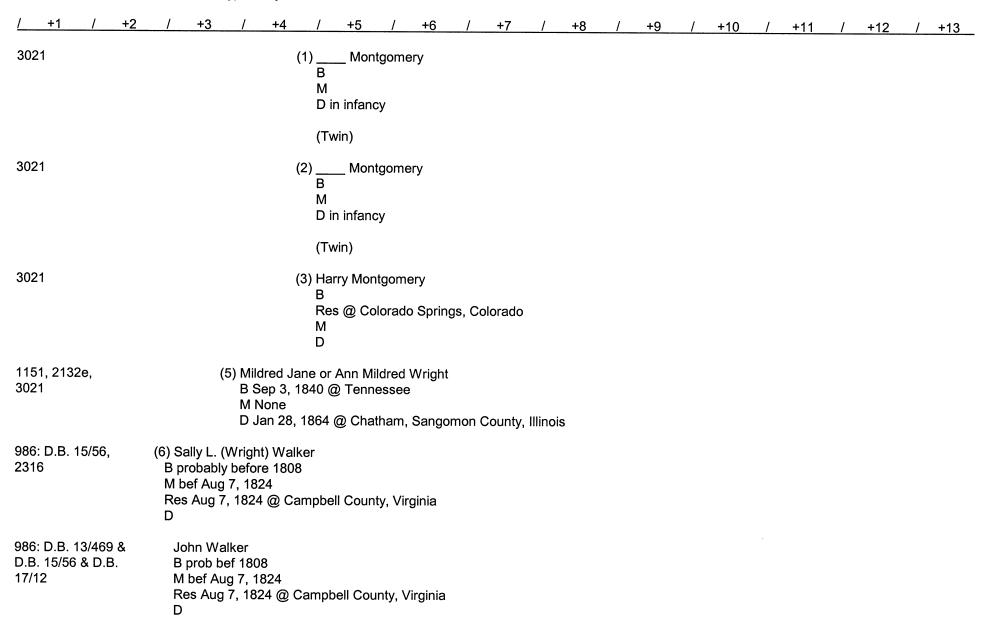
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3021	 (5) Edna May (Wright) Dobbs B Jun 21, 1881 @ Motley, Morrison County, Minnesota M Jan 16, 1902 D Feb 10, 1968 @ Denver, Colorado
3021	Marion Robert Dobbs
3021	(6) Clyde Franklin Wright B Aug 23, 1885 @ Philbrook, Todd County, Minnesota M Feb 19, 1908 @ New Virginia, Warren County, Iowa D Dec 28, 1962 @ Omaha, Douglas County, Nebraska, buried @ Forest Lawn Cemetery, Omaha, Douglas County, Nebraska
	(Telegraph messenger and telegrapher in 1900 & 1906; employed by Western Union; retired in 1948)
3021	Beulah Vista (Nine) Wright B Oct 19, 1884 @ New Virginia, Warren County, Iowa M Feb 19, 1908 @ New Virginia, Warren County, Iowa D Dec 1983 @ Fairfield, Solano County, California, buried @ Fairfield, Solano County, California
	(2 children in 7th generation)
3021	 (1) Margaret Frances (Wright) (Kimball) (Gill) Heinsch B Jul 17, 1910 @ Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa M1 Mar 13, 1930 @ Papillion, Sarpy County, Nebraska M2 M3 Jul 1954 D Aug 15, 1988 @ Fairfield, Solano County, California
3021	1st Kenneth Kay Kimball B Nov 2, 1907 @ Spearfish, Lawrence County, South Dakota M Mar 13, 1930 @ Papillion, Sarpy County, Nebraska D Jul 16, 1963 @ Amherst, Amherst County, Virginia
3021	2nd Frank Alfred Gill

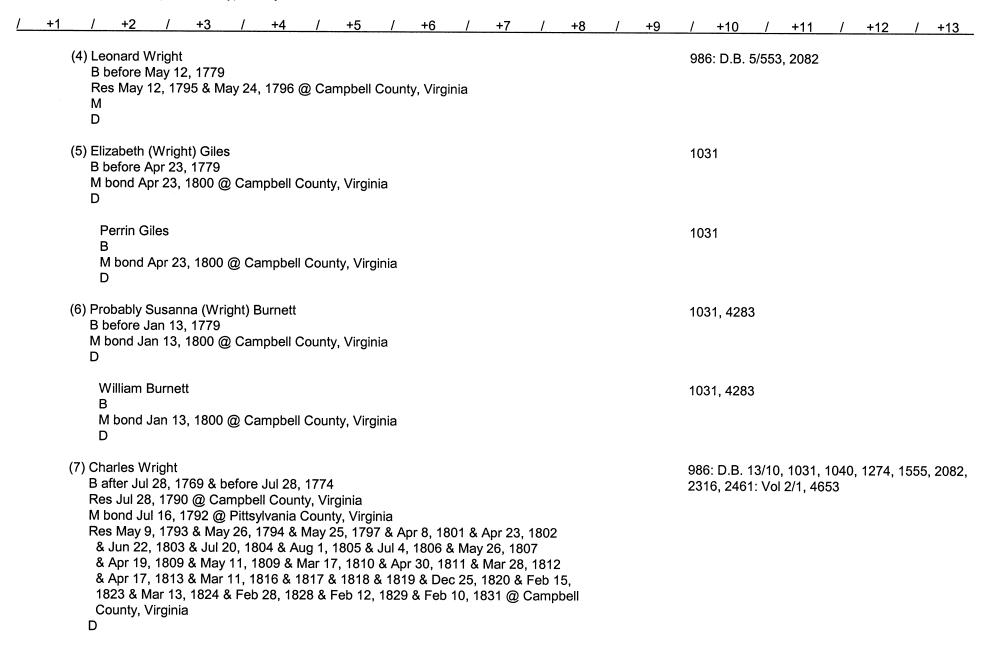












Robert Wright, Sr. (Campbell County) Family +4 +5 +7 +6 +8 +9 +10 / +11 / +12 / +13 Rachel (Doss) Wright 1031, 1040, 1274, 2413, 2461: Vol 2/1, 4653 B c. 1771 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia M bond Jul 16, 1792 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia Res probably 1840 @ Buckingham County, Virginia D probably after 1840 (5 children in 3rd generation at pages 128 & 146 & 147) (1) Probably Robert D. Wright 46: BLW 11558 & WC 11583, 1031, 1067, 1068, B Mar 16, 1795 @ Virginia 1126: File 71, 2082, 2064, 2360, 2411, 2588, Res Aug 3, 1814 @ Buckingham or Campbell County, Virginia 2633, 2686, 3002, 3032, 3387 Res May 10, 1819 @ Buckingham County, Virginia M Nov 9 or 15, 1820 @ Mount Zion, Buckingham County, Virginia

Res c. 1820 to 1828 near Stonewall Mills, Buckingham County, Virginia Res c. 1828 to 1831 @ Folly, Amherst County, Virginia Res Feb 2, 1830 & Feb 2, 1831 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res c. 1831 to 1833 @ Glade Road, Amherst County, Virginia Res Mar 19, 1834 & Feb 19, 1835 @ Campbell County, Virginia Res after 1835 & 1840 & Mar 21, 1842 & Oct 22, 1844 & Nov 7, 1844 & Nov 13,

1850 & Mar 10, 1855 & Oct 17, 1860 & Jun 30, 1870 & May 20, 1871 & Jul 15, 1871 @ Amherst County, Virginia

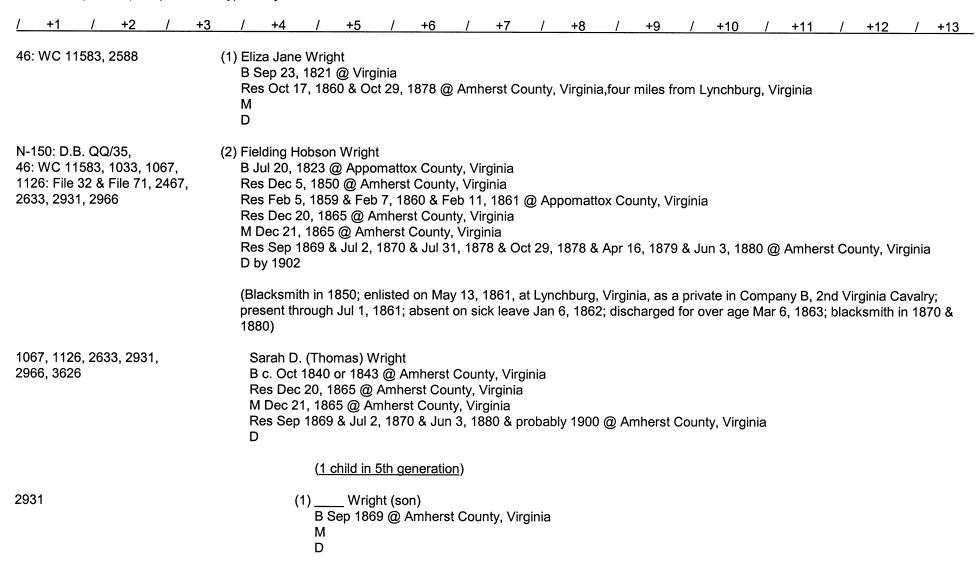
D Feb 4, 1873 @ Amherst County, Virginia

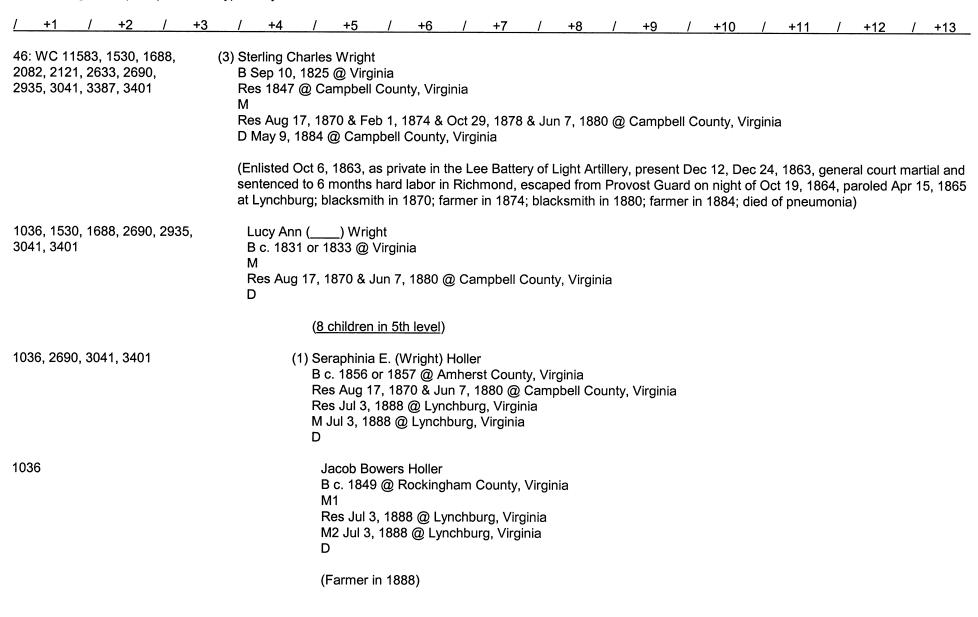
(6' tall, dark brown hair, dark hazel eyes, Blacksmith, Private in Captain Leigh's Company, 119th Regiment of Virginia Militia in the War of 1812 from Aug 3, 1814, to Dec 10, 1814)

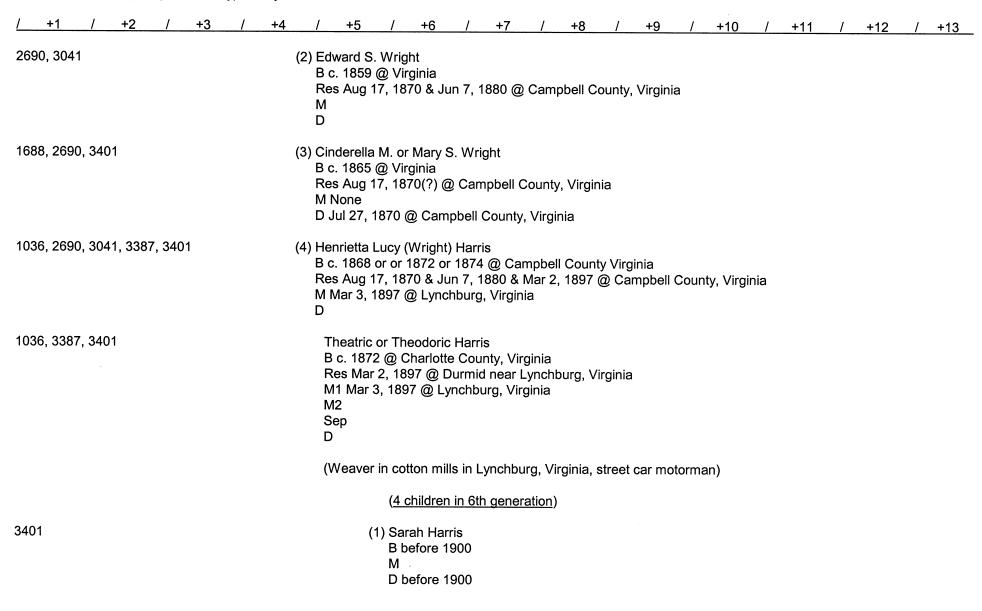
Ellen or Eleanor T. (Hood) Wright
B Jun 11, 1800 @ Virginia
M Nov 9 or 15, 1820 @ Mount Zion, Buckingham County, Virginia
Res Oct 17, 1860 & Jun 30, 1870 & Mar 23, 1878 & Jun 3, 1880 @ Amherst County,
Virginia
D 1883

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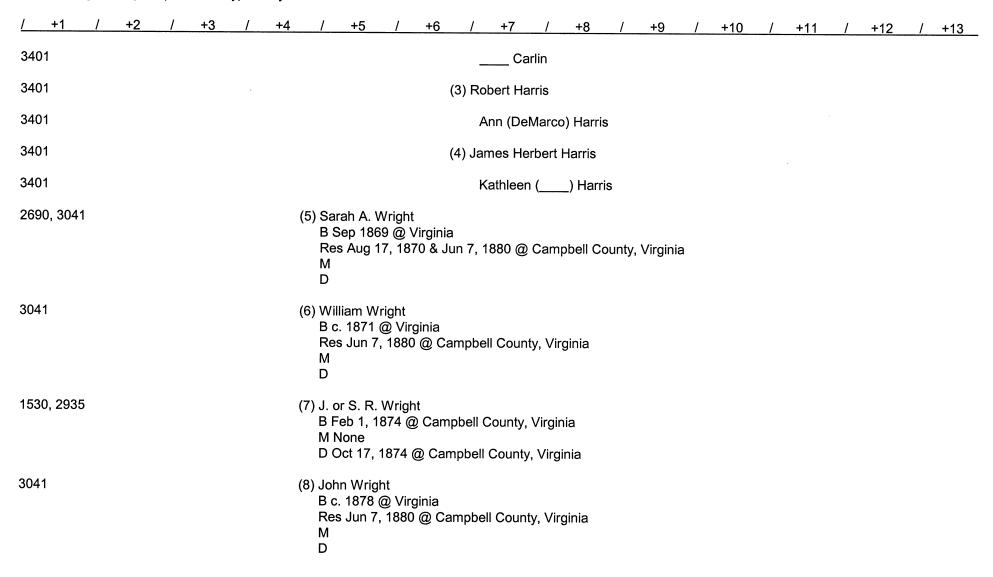
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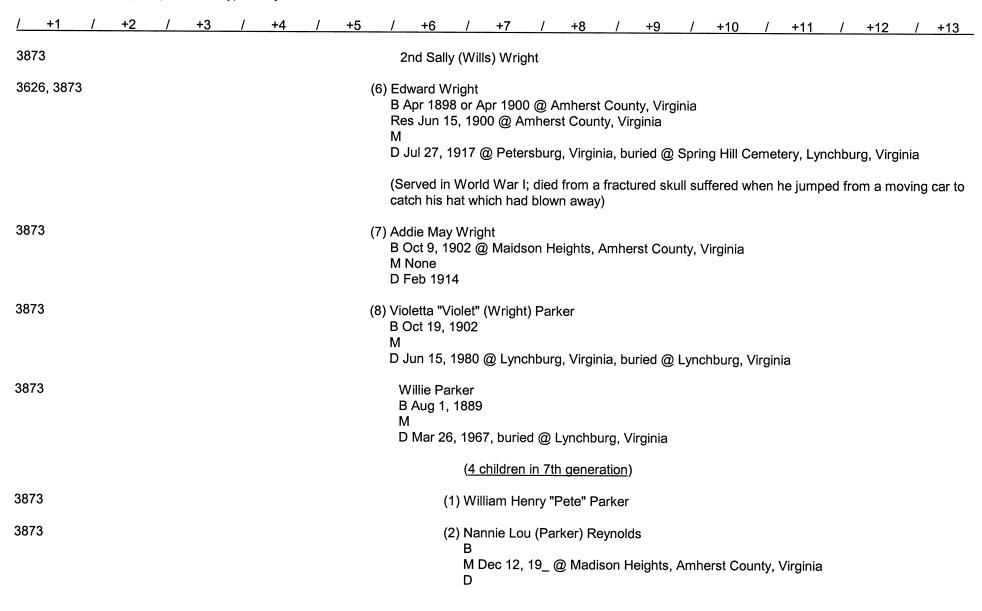


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3401	(2) Mary Harris B before 1900 M D before 1900
3401	(3) Harris B before 1900 M D before 1900
3401	 (4) Theodore Harris, Jr. B Dec 7, 1905 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res @ Delaware Res @ Philadelphia, Pennsylvania M D before 1900 (Worked on Delaware Bridge)
3401	Ida May (Ford) (White) Harris B Dec 25, 1907 @ Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Adopted 1914 M1 Oct 1, 1926 Res @ Philadelphia, Pennsylvania M D before 1900 (Nurse; short curly dark hair, blue eyes, very round) (4 children in 7th generation)
3401	(1) Theodore Harris
3401	Ruth () Harris
3401	(2) Henrietta (Harris) Carlin



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46: WC 11583, 1068, 1126: File 71, 1278, 1573, 2765, 2937, 3152, 3854, 3873	 (4) David Staples "Toby" or "Tobe" Wright B Jul 19, 1828 @ Campbell County (later Appomattox County), Virginia Res May 16, 1865 @ Amherst County, Virginia M May 17, 1865 @ Nelson County, Virginia Res Aug 5, 1870 & Apr 1870 or 1872 & Sep 6, 1872 or 1873 & Jun 4, 1880 & Mar 10, 1881 @ Nelson County, Virginia D Jun 18, 1894 @ Amherst County, Virginia
	(Overseer in 1865; lock tender in 1870; lock keeper in 1870 & 1872 or 1873; farmer in 1878; lock keeper in 1880 & 1881)
1068, 1573, 2765, 2937, 3152, 3854, 3873	Susan Catherine E. (Layne) Wright B Dec 1845 @ Buckingham County, Virginia Res May 16, 1865 @ Nelson County, Virginia M May 17, 1865 @ Nelson County, Virginia Res Aug 5, 1870 & Jun 4, 1880 @ Nelson County, Virginia D Sep 20, 1881 @ Nelson County, Virginia
	(7 children in 5th generation)
2765, 3152, 3626, 3854, 3873, 3898, 4151	(1) Edward Jackson Wright B c. 1867 or 1868 @ Nelson County, Virginia Res Aug 5, 1870 & Jun 4, 1880 @ Nelson County, Virginia Res Nov 24, 1890 @ Pulaski County, Virginia M Nov 24, 1890 @ New River, Pulaski County, Virginia Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Feb 24, 1930 @ Appomattox County, Virginia
	(Fireman in 1890; stationery engineer in 1900; installed first elevator in Lynchburg)
2765, 3626, 3873, 4151	Nannie Ellen (Akers) Wright B Nov 11, 1870 or Nov 1872 @ Montgomery County, Virginia Res Nov 24, 1890 @ Pulaski County, Virginia M Nov 24, 1890 @ New River, Pulaski County, Virginia Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Dec 8, 1945 @ Evergreen, Appomattox County, Virginia, buried @ Lynchburg, Virginia
	(15 children in 6th generation)

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3626, 3873	 (1) William J. or H. Wright B Mar 1890 @ Virginia Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M D c. Nov 1917 @ Hartford, Connecticut (Died of pneumonia while employed with the American Bridge Company and working on the
	Willimantic Bridge at Hartford, Connecticut)
3626, 3873	 (2) Ada Mae Wright B Oct 9, 1891 @ Virginia Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M D probably before Oct 9, 1902
3626, 3873	(3) John E. Wright B Nov 9, 1886 or Dec 1893 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M D Feb 3, 1977 @ Maryland
3626, 3873	 (4) Ella S. Wright B May 1896 @ Virginia Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M D Mar 11, 1913 @ Virginia
3626, 3873	 (5) Floyd Carrington Wright B Feb 14, 1897 or Feb 1898 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia Res Jun 15, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M1 Dec 9, 1944 @ Newport News, Virginia M2 D Mar 5, 1977
3873	1st Edith Louise (Jameson) Wright B M 1944 @ Newport News, Virginia D

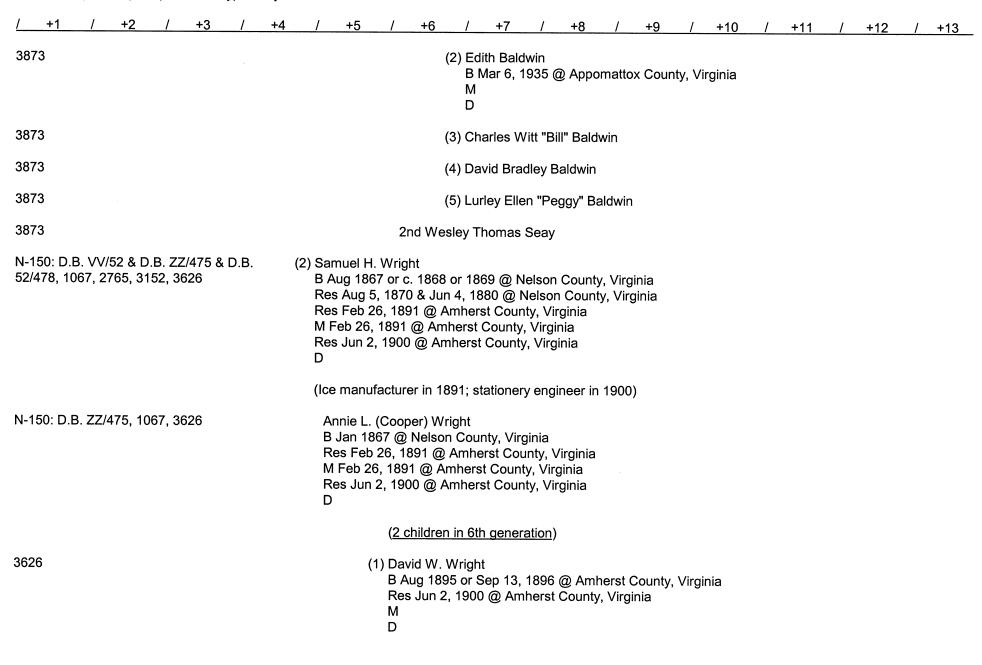


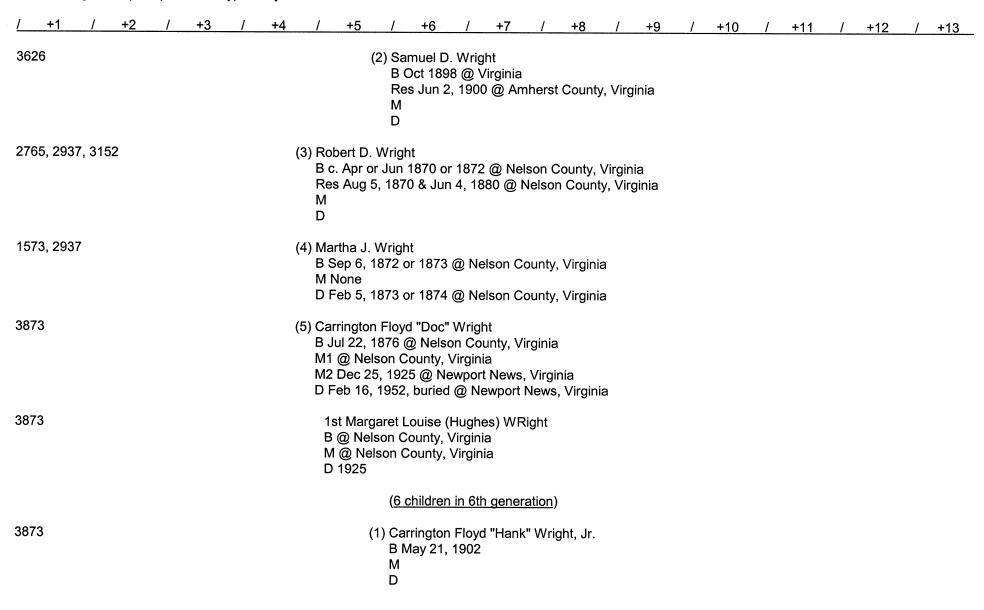
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3873	David Edward Reynolds B M Dec 12, 19_ @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia D
3873	 (3) Lucille Carrington Parker B Jun 20, 1931 M None D Jun 11, 1932, buried @ Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
3873	(4) Jasper Leroy Parker
3873	 (9) Jasper "Jack" David Wright B 1903 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1910 @ Amherst County, Virginia M1 M2 Res @ Coatsville, Pennsylvania D buried @ Coatsville, Pennsylvania (Warehouse manager; served in U.S. Navy in World War II)
3873	1st Ann (Dray) Wright
3873	2nd Elizabeth "Betty" (Brown) Wright B @ Germantown M D
3873	 (10) Bessie Madison (Wright) Harding B Jan 14, 1905 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia M Res @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Jan 20, 1892, buried @ Hebron Baptist Church Cemetery, Concord, Virginia (Employed at Imperial Reading)

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3873	Charles Walker Harding B Nov 25, 1896 M D Jul 10, 1960
	(2 children in 7th generation)
3873	(1) Charles Walker Harding, Jr.
3873	(2) Mary Ellen Harding
3873	(11) George Robert "Bobby" Wright B Apr 7, 1908 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia M Oct 22, 1932 @ Radford, Virginia Res @ Appomattox County, Virginia D Mar 31, 1985 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Evergreen Cemetery, Evergreen, Virginia Annie Frances (Tuggle) Wright B Jun 14, 1912 @ Chesterfield County, Virginia M Oct 22, 1932 @ Radford, Virginia D Jul 29, 2001 @ Appomattox County, Virginia
3873	(<u>5 children in 7th generation</u>) (1) Joan Frances Wright
3873	(2) John Carrington Wright
3873	(3) Rebecca "Becky" Elizabeth Wright
3873	(4) Robert George Wright
3873	(5) David Jasper Wright

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3873	 (12) Walter Akers Wright B Aug 17, 1909 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia M1 Feb 13, 1930 M2 Jan 21, 1939 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res @ Appomattox County, Virginia D Mar 9, 1976, buried @ Liberty Cemetery, Appomattox County, Virginia (Farmer and merchant)
3873	1st Nellie Warner (Conner) Wright B Jul 20, 1907 M Feb 13, 1930 D Apr 1, 1935 @ Lynchburg, Virginia (3 children in 7th generation)
3873	(1) Nellie Elizabeth "Nancy" Wright B Jul 20, 1931 @ Appomattox County, Virginia M D
3873	(2) Frances May Wright
3873	(3) Addie Mae "Dolly" Wright
3873	2nd Susie Estelle (Goin) Wright B Jul 19, 1920 @ Appomattox County, Virginia M Jan 21, 1939 @ Appomattox County, Virginia D Aug 16, 1995 @ Appomattox County, Virginia
	(4 children in 7th generation)
3873	(1) Walter Murrell "Dickie" Wright
3873	(2) Betty Lou Wright
3873	(3) Ashby Alton Wright

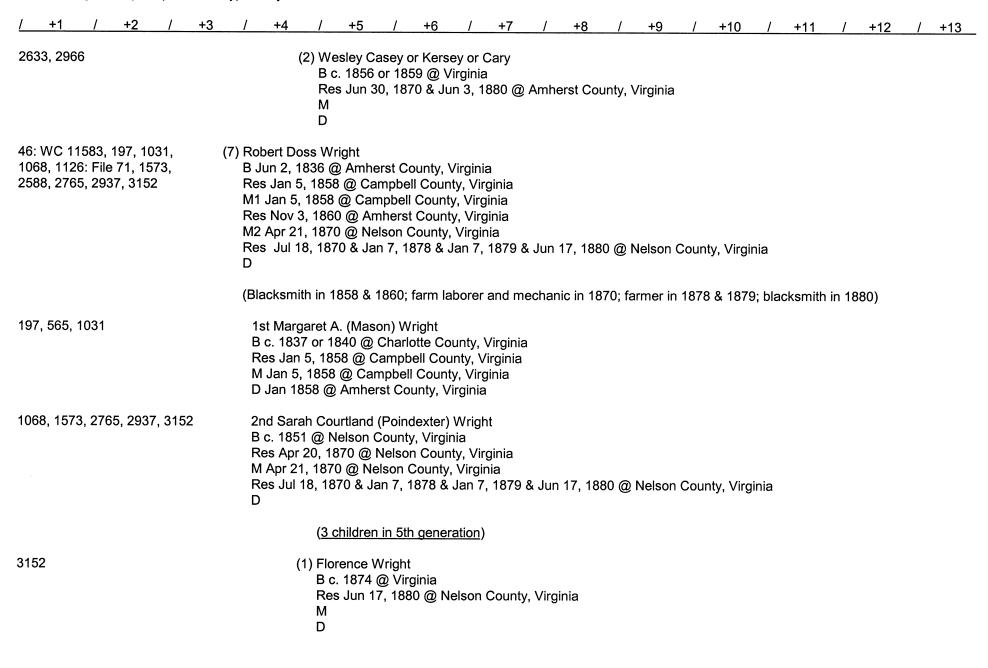
3873 (4) June Ann Wright B Dec 11, 1911 M None D Dec 11, 1911 3873 (14) Juanita Bell (Wright) Smith B Aug 8, 1912 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia M Res @ Ashland, Virginia D Apr 1, 1980 @ Ashland, Virginia B Edward Thomas Smith (1 child in 7th generation) 3873 (1) Earl Thomas Smith 3873 (15) Nannie Mae (Wright) (Baldwin) Seay B Dec 10, 1914 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia M1 Apr 17, 1932 M2 Res @ Pamplin, Virginia D Feb 24, 2001 @ Appomattox County, Virginia, buried @ Rocks Ba		
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(Employed at Courtland Manufacturing)		
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(5 children in 7th generation)		
3873 (1) Doris Lucile Baldwin		



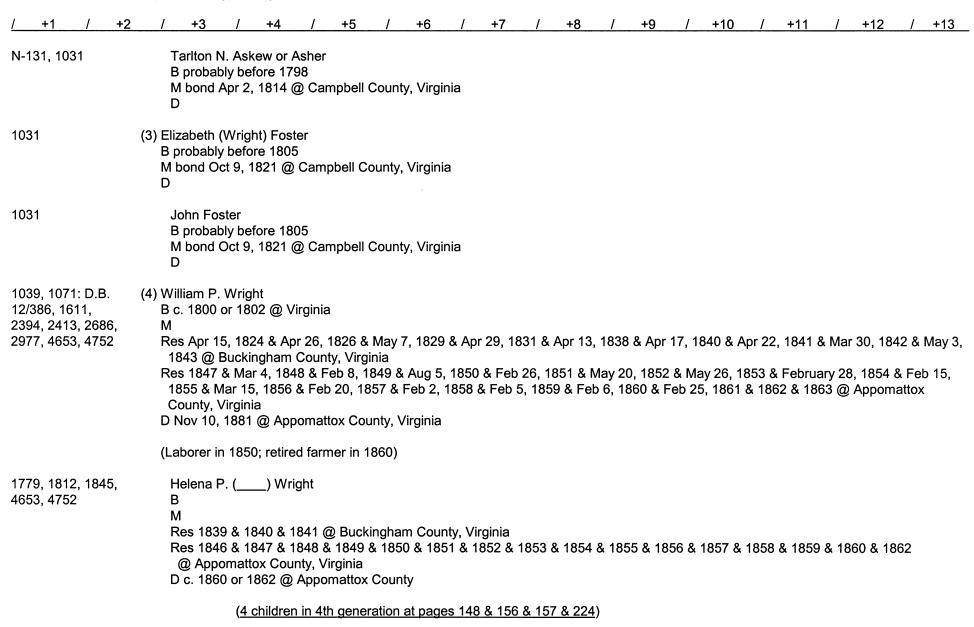


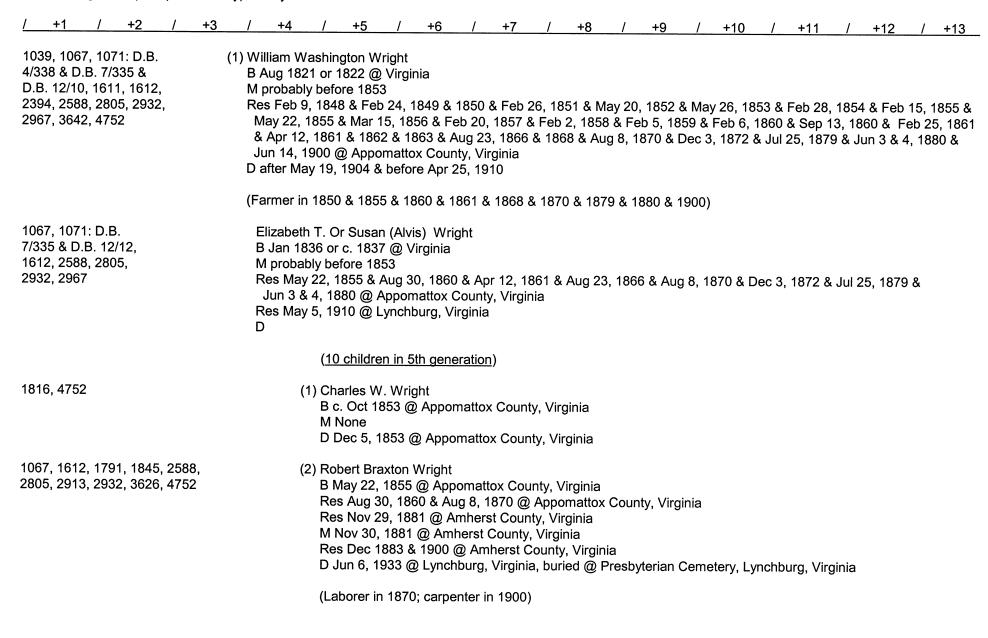
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3873	(2) Howard "Shindy" Quincy Wright B Feb 7, 1909 M D
3873	(3) Samuel Dotridge Wright B Jan 5, 1912 M D
3873	(4) Malcolm "Sally" Woodrow Wright B Jan 24, 1913 M D
3873	(5) Lemuel Bland Wright B Dec 25, 1917 M D
3873	(6) Robert E. Lee "Bob" Wright
	2nd Virginia "Virgie" Dare (Sledge) Wright B Apr 18, 1894 @ Fairfax County, North Carolina M Dec 25, 1925 @ Newport News, Virginia D May 24, 1980
	(2 children in 6th generation)
3873	(1) Elizabeth "Tookie" Lee Wright
3873	(2) Margerette "Boody" Gwendolyn Wright

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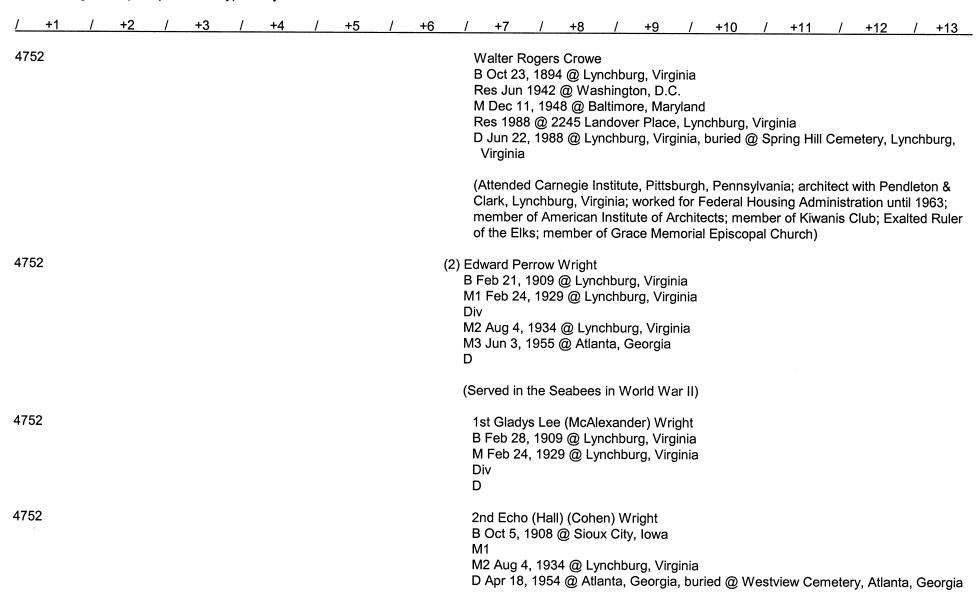


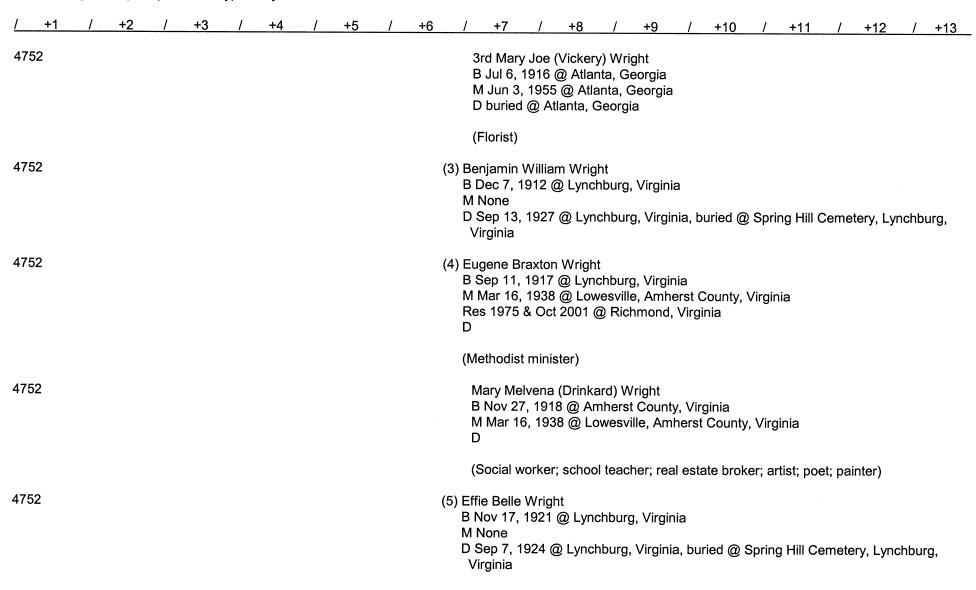
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1573, 2937	(2) Royal WrightB Jan 7, 1878 or 1879 @ Nelson County, VirginiaM NoneD Dec 27, 1879 @ Nelson County, Virginia
1573	(3) Ernest V. Wright B c. Mar 1888 M None D Jun 30, 1890 @ Nelson County, Virginia
46: WC 11583, 1780, 2588	 (8) William Poncel Wright B May 9, 1840 @ Virginia Res Oct 17, 1860 @ Amherst County, Virginia M D
	(Enlisted Apr 21, 1861, as a private in Company F, 28th Virginia Infantry Regiment, wounded in action Jun 6, 1862, wounded Sep 17, 1862, at Sharpsburg, at home until Aug 1863, wounded Jun 4, 1864, by being shot in hand, captured Aug 28, 1864, exchanged Oct 30, 1864, at Point Lookout, present Dec 1864)
1067, 1126: File 71, 2588	 (9) Cynthia Ann (Wright) Linthicum B Oct 22, 1844 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Oct 17, 1860 & Dec 16, 1872 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Dec 16, 1872 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Oct 1893 @ Amherst County, Virginia D
1067, 1126: File 71	Newton A. Linthicum B c. 1849 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Dec 16, 1872 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Dec 16, 1872 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Oct 1893 @ Amherst County, Virginia D
B prol	(Wright) Askew or Asher cably before 1798 nd Apr 2, 1814 @ Campbell County, Virginia



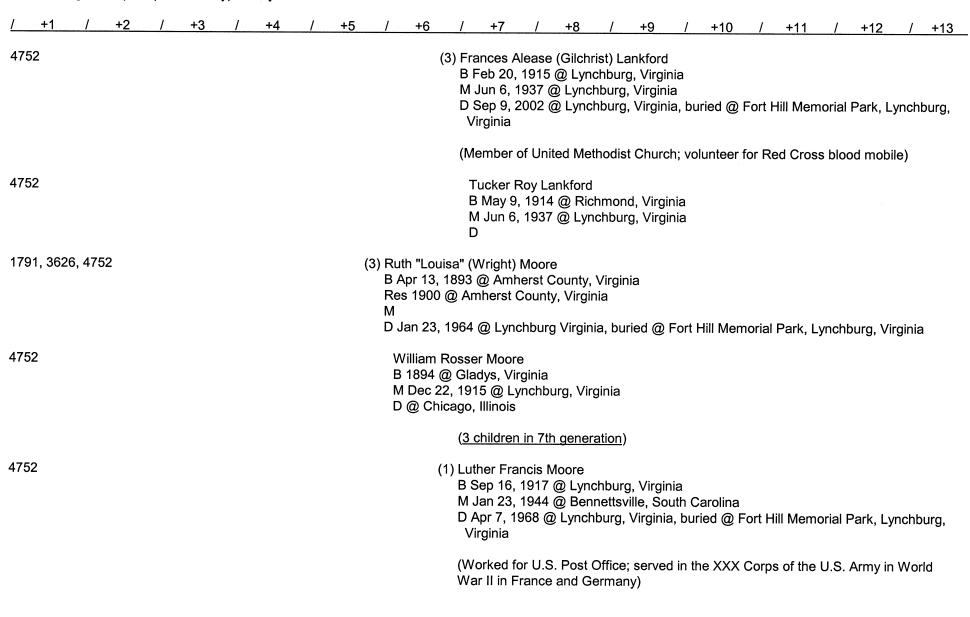


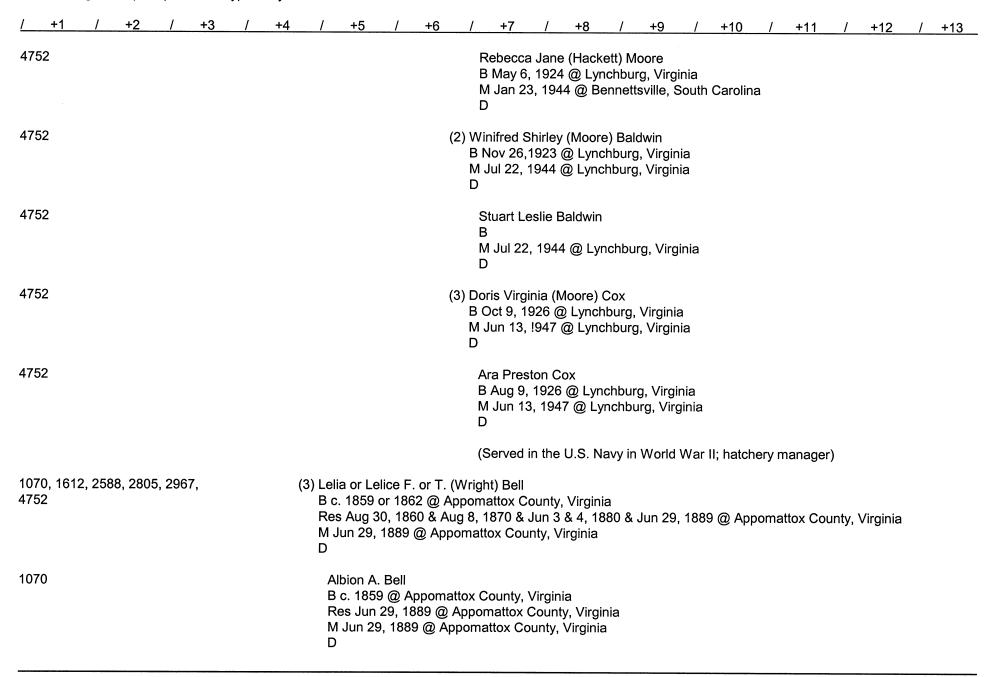
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1067, 1791, 1845, 2633, 2931, 2932, 2966, 3626, 4752	Martha Helena "Mattie" (Wright) Wright B Oct 14, 1862 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Aug 31, 1870 & Jun 2, 1880 & Nov 29, 1881 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Nov 30, 1881 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Dec 1883 & 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1910 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Jun 1, 1945 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (3 children in 6th generation)
1791, 2931, 3626, 4752	 (1) Benjamin William Wright B Dec 2, 1883 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Mar 29, 1905 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia Res 1973 @ 2075 Langhorne Road, Lynchburg, Virginia D Jan 21, 1973 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia (Apprentice carpenter in 1900; foreman for Thornhill Wagon Company; started funeral home
4752	business; member of Memorial Methodist Church, Lynchburg, Virginia; small man) Effie Belle (Bulter) Wright B Feb 1, 1885 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Mar 29, 1905 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia D Feb 17, 1965 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	(1) Inez Helena (Wright) Crowe B Jul 12, 1907 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res Jan 1942 @ Washington, D.C. M Dec 11, 1948 @ Baltimore, Maryland D Mar 20, 2004 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (Secretary at Pendleton & Clark, Lynchburg, Virginia; worked from 1942 to 1963 for War Production Board and then War Assets Administration and then National Securities Resources Board; member of Grace Memorial Episcopal Church)



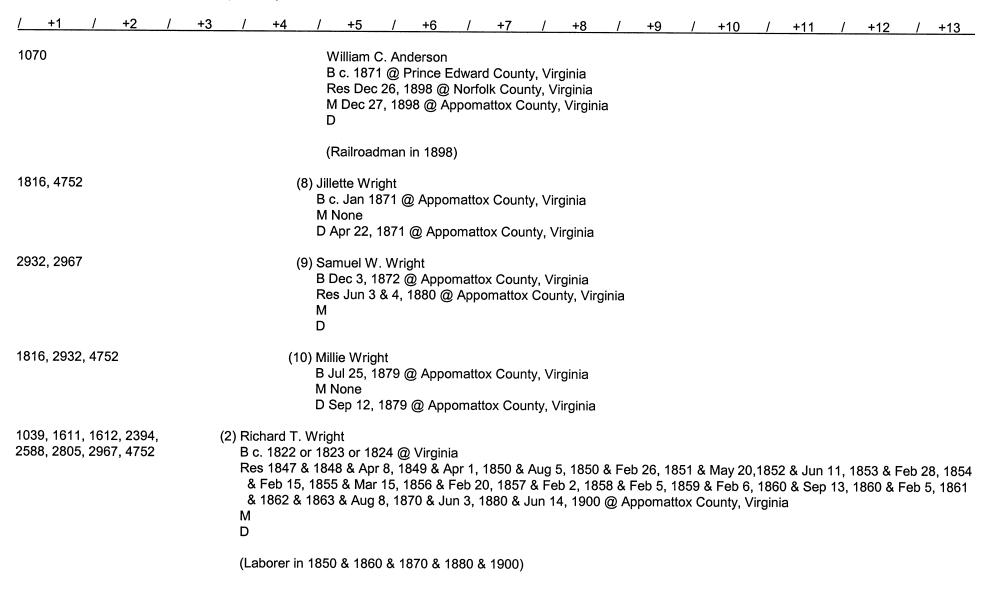


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4752	(6) Evelyn Joyce (Wright) ForeB Mar 5, 1926 @ Lynchburg, VirginiaM Dec 8, 1946 @ York, South CarolinaD
	(Bookkeeper; real estate broker)
4752	Robert Thomas Fore B Jan 11, 1924 @ Danville, Virginia M Dec 8, 1946 @ York, South Carolina D Jun 5, 1988 @ Salem, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Served in U.S. Navy from March 12, 1943, to February 22, 1946, in Pacific theater: salesman)
1791, 3626, 4752	 (2) Nancy "Nannie" (Wright) Gilchrist B Sep 24, 1888 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M D May 4, 1916 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	Walter Wingfield Gilchrist B Feb 24, 1885 @ Hat Creek, Virginia M D May 12, 1941 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (3 children in 7th generation)
4752	(1) Robert Madison GilchristB Feb 23, 1907 @ Lynchburg, VirginiaM NoneD Feb 3, 1910 @ Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	(2) Mallie Virginia GilchristB Sep 28, 1908 @ Lynchburg, VirginiaM NoneD



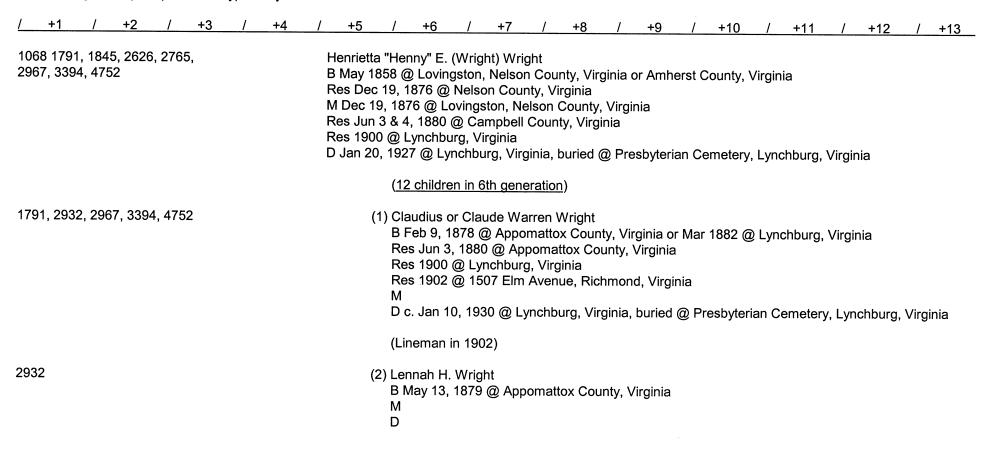


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1070, 2805, 2932, 2967	(5) Ora B. or Dora Ann or Madora Ann (Wright) Bell B c. 1863 or 1866 or 1868 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Aug 8, 1870 & Jun 3 & 4, 1880 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Jun 21, 1892 @ Appomattox County, Virginia M Jun 22, 1892 @ Apomattox Cuonty, Virginia D
1070	James A. Bell B c. 1864 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Jun 21, 1892 @ Appomattox County, Virginia M Jun 22, 1892 @ Apomattox Cuonty, Virginia D
2805, 2932, 2967	 (6) Bertha or Martha C. Wright B Aug 23, 1866 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Aug 8, 1870 & Jun 3 & 4, 1880@ Appomattox County, Virginia M D
1070, 2805, 2967	 (7) Sarah "Sallie" Blanche (Wright) Anderson B c. 1869 or 1872 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Aug 8, 1870 & Jun 3 & 4, 1880 & Dec 26, 1898 @ Appomattox County, Virginia M Dec 27, 1898 @ Appomattox County, Virginia D



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(Laborer on canal in 1870; farmer in 1880; railroad car inspector in 1896 & 1902)



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1791, 2967, 4752 (3	B Jul 10, 1879 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Jun 3, 1880 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Jul 4, 1901 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1900 @ 1507 Elm Avenue, Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1910 @ 2307 High Street, Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1911 @ 2317 High Street, Lunchburg, Virginia Res 1915 @ 2607 Lorain, Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1920 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res Mar 1, 1954 @ 1002 Randolph Street, Lynchburg, Virginia D Mar 1, 1954 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (Butcher in 1902; meat cutter at Anderson's Piggly Wiggly; member of Centenry Methodist Church)
1791, 4752	Edna V. Dillard (Brooks) Wright B Jun 6, 1880 @ Campbell County, Virginia M Jul 4, 1901 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D May 3, 1970 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Church Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Charter member Bethesda Presbyterian Church)
	(8 children in 7th generation)
1791, 4752	 (1) Ruth Walker (Wright) Almond B Aug 2, 1902 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Mar 25, 1920 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Feb 12, 1996 @ Roanoke, Virginia
	(Member of Bethesda Presbyterian Church)
4752	Harry David Almond B Aug 4, 1899 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Mar 25, 1920 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Aug 4, 1959 @ Bay Pines, Florida, buried @ Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, D.C.

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4752	(2) Owen Matthew Wright B Sep 2, 1903 M None D Jun 28, 1904
1791, 4752	(3) Eva Gertrude (Wright) Wood B Sep 29, 1904 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Jan 18, 1929 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Nov 21, 1946 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	Herbert Percy Wood B Jul 3, 1895 @ Campbell County, Virginia M Jan 18, 1929 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Aug 31, 1956 @ Richmond, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
1791, 4752	 (4) Leonard Eugene Wright B Jul 26, 1906 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Mar 26, 1932 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res May 8, 1999 @ 1112 Griffin Street, Lynchburg, Virginia D Apr 20, 2002 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (Carpenter)
4752	Hilda (Miller) Wright B 1905 @ Bedford County, Virginia M Mar 26, 1932 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Jan 6, 1994 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (Member of Flat Creek Baptist Church)

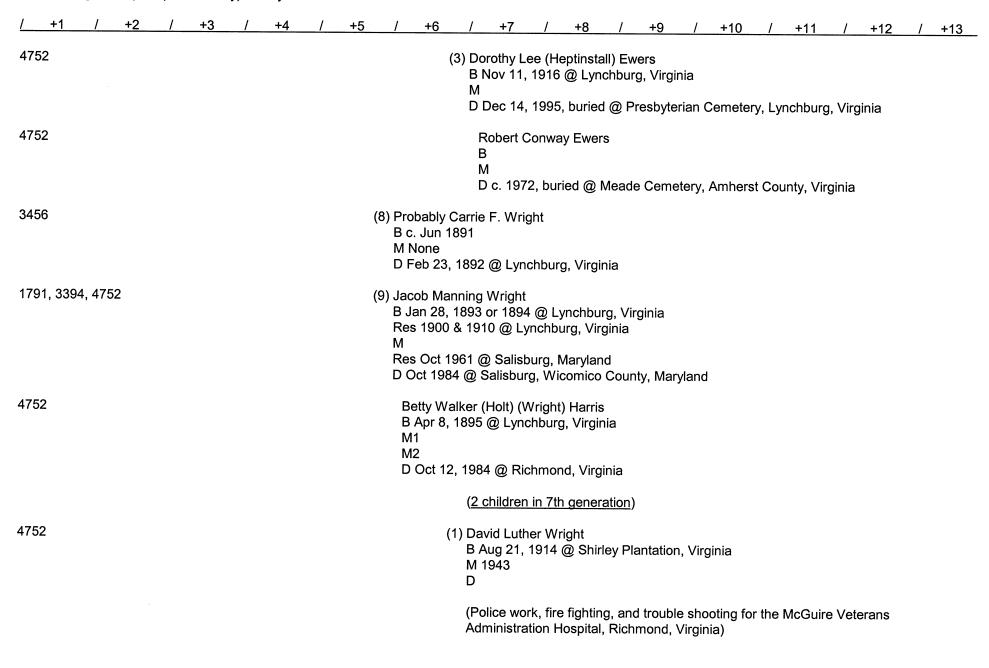
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1791, 4752	 (5) Gladys Lee (Wright) Staples B Mar 16, 1910 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D Dec 7, 1994 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Member of Bethesda Presbyterian Church)
4752	Earl Nathaniel Staples B Jan 29, 1910 @ Lynchburg or Richmond, Virginia M D May 11, 1992 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Employee of Craddock-Terry Shoe Company; member of the Quarter Century Club; carpenter; member of Bethesda Presbyterian Church)
1791, 4752	(6) Clifton Lathan Wright B Aug 2, 1911 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Aug 31, 1929 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D May 20, 1977 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Employee of Shrader Meat Markets; member of Eternal Baptist Church, Madison Heights, Virginia)
4752	Audrey Alice (Proffitt) Wright B May 2, 1912 M Aug 31, 1929 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Mar 6, 1989 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
1791, 2932, 4752	(4) Ethel Florence (Wright) Dalton B 1881 @ Appomattox County or Mar 8, 1881 or Mar 1882 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Dec 29, 1907 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Oct 19, 1954 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (Member of Trinity Methodist Church)

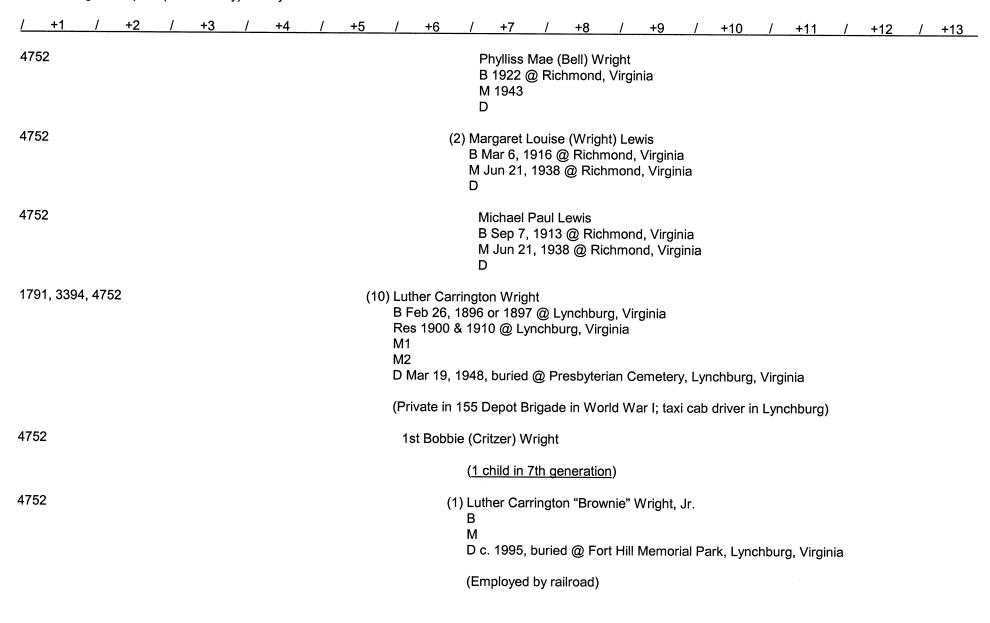
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B Ma M De	n William Dalton er 18, 1878 ec 29, 1907 @ Lynchburg, Virginia er 2, 1940, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	(4 children in 7th generation)
	(1) Evelyn (Dalton) (Adams) Rogers
4752	1st A. G. Adams
4752	No issue
4752	2nd John Rogers
4752	No issue
4752	(2) Corinne (Dalton) Johnson B M Res 1996 @ Sterling, Virginia D
4752	Paul W. Johnson
4752	(3) Hazel Ida (Dalton) Thomas B Mar 30, 1908 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M D Nov 8, 1976 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	(Member of Trinity United Methodist Church) Lloyd Ogden Thomas B Oct 6, 1905 @ Rockbridge County, Virginia M D Oct 29, 1984, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia

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4752	(4) Clarence William Dalton
	B Aug 28, 1918 @ Charlotte County, Virginia
	M D Jan 2, 1958, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	Letherine (Wooldridge) (Dalton) Smallwood
1791, 2931, 3394, 4752	(5) Eva Gertrude (Wright) Mattox
, 2001, 0001, 1102	B Aug 28, 1883 @ Amherst County, Virginia or Aug 28, 1884 @ Lynchburg, Virginia
	Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia
	M Jan 28, 1904 @ Lynchburg, Virginia
	D Oct 5, 1968 @ Lynchburg, Virginia buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Member of Trinity Methodist Church)
1791, 4752	Richard Cabell Mattox
	B Nov 17, 1880
	M Jan 28, 1904 @ Lynchburg, Virginia
	D Dec 19, 1922, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(2 children in 7th generation)
4752	(1) Russell Thomas Mattox
	B Jun 21, 1915
	M D Nov 14, 1039, buried @ Presbytories Competent Lymabhyma Viscisis
	D Nov 14, 1938, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	(2) Clifton W. Mattox
	B Feb 27, 1920 @ Gretna, Virginia
	M D Oct 1, 1985 @ Alexandria, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg,
	Virginia
	(Served in the U.S. Army in World War II; locomotive engineer with Southern Railway;
	member of Trinity Methodist Church, Lynchburg, Virginia)
4752	Ellen Ann (Blackburn) Mattox

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B R M R R R	Maude Elma (Wright) Poindexter Sep 7, 1887 @ Lynchburg, Virginia or Amherst County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1910 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1910 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1927 @ Richmond, Virginia Res 1951 @ Roanoke, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia Member of Centenary Methodist Church, Lynchburg, Virginia)
1791, 4752	Macon M. or Malcolm Poindexter B 1884 or Oct 12, 1885 M c. 1909 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Jun 19, 1958, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (4 children in 7th generation)
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	(1) Thelma (Poindexter) Mays
4752	Mays
4752	(2) Macon M. Poindexter
4752	 (3) Myrtle A. (Poindexter) Brickey B Mar 21, 1914 M D Feb 6, 1952, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	Brickey
4752	 (4) Helen Cornelia Poindexter B Jan 12, 1923 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M None D Jan 25, 1923 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia

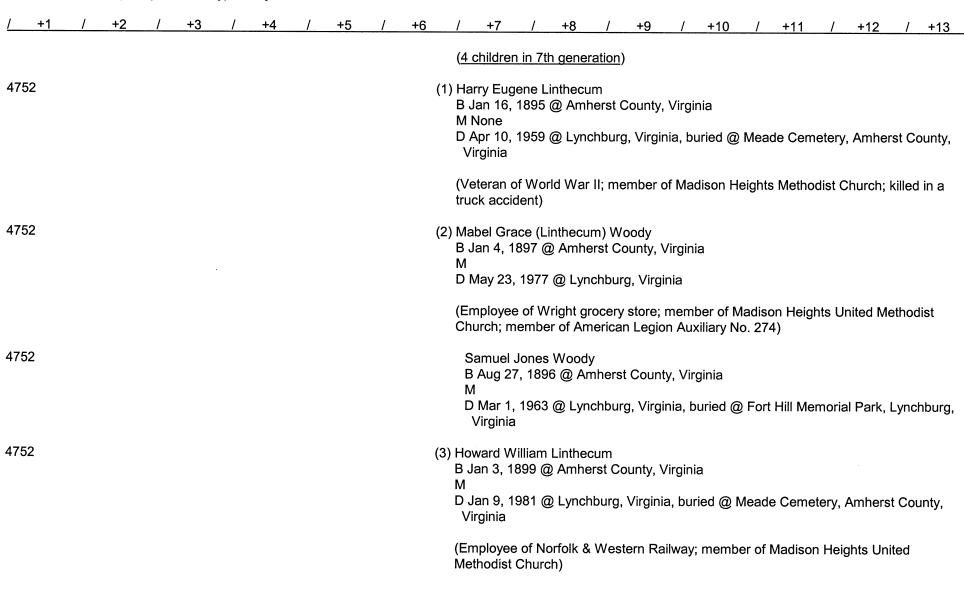
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1791, 3394, 4752	 (7) Clarana or Clara Lee (Wright) Heptinstall B Aug 20, 1889 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1900 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Dec 25, 1906 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Oct 6, 1961, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Member of Trinity Methodist Church)
1791, 4752	Walter Thomas Heptinstall B Oct 2, 1881 M Dec 25, 1906 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Mar 3, 1938, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(3 children in 7th generation)
4752	(1) Thomas HeptinstallBMD @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Killed in train accident)
4752	Ruby (Lawhorne ?) Heptinstall B M Res @ Tennessee D
4752	(2) Elsie Warren (Heptinstall) Wood B May 12, 1908 M D Jun 26, 1974, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	Harry Franklin Wood B Jun 21, 1907 M D Nov 4, 1990, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia



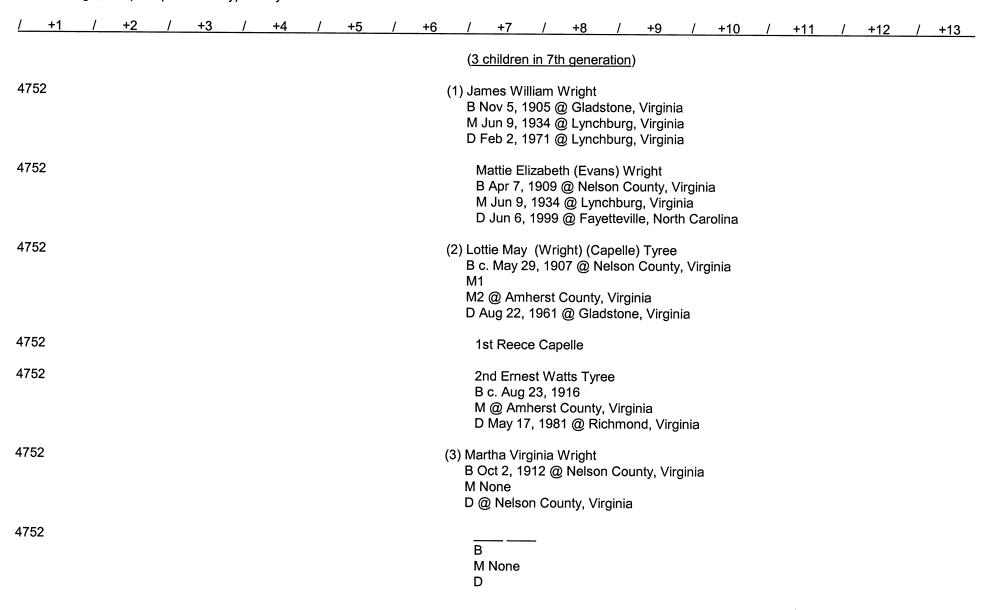


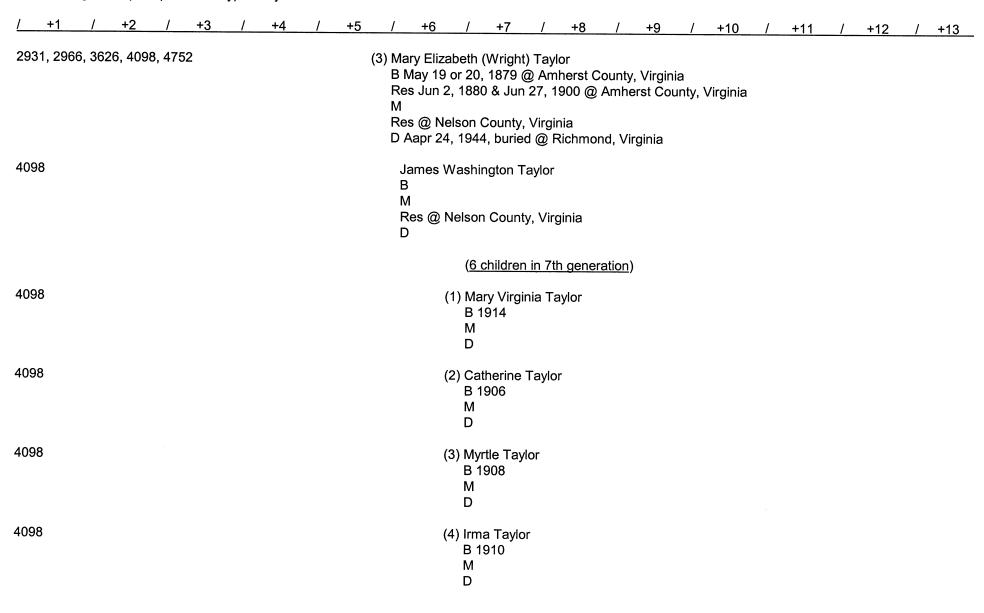
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4752	Thelma Courtney (St. Clair) Wright B Dec 3, 1917 @ Gilpin, Maryland M D Jan 17, 2003, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Graduate in 1936 of New London Academy; member of the Eastern Star; member of Shiloh United Methodist Church)
4752	2nd Maude M. (Reynolds) Wright B Feb 19,1902 M D Jan 21, 1984, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
1791, 3394, 4752	(11) Werden or Werdna Clark Wright B May 1898 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res 1900 & 1910 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M 1923 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D @ Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
1791	Martha Bell (Tyree) Wright B M 1923 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D
1791	(12) Wright B M D before 1900

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1067, 1278, 1612, 1791, 1845, 2633, 2931, 2966, 3626, 4098, 4752	(2) John W. Wright B Jan 10 or Mar 21, 1853, or Aug 7, 1853 or 1854 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Aug 21, 1860 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Aug 31, 1870 & Mar 26, 1874 & May 20, 1876 & Jun 2, 1880 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Res Jun 27, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Feb 12 or 17, 1913 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Watts Cemetery, Allens Creek, Amherst County, Virginia
1067, 2931, 2966, 3626, 4752	(Farm hand in 1870; farmer in 1874; miner in 1876 & 1882; car inspector on railroad in 1900) Catherine Ann (Haifley) (Herb or Erb) Wright B Aug 7, 1839 or c. 1842 @ Maryland M1 Jul 25, 1856 @ Carrell County, Maryland M2 Res Jun 2, 1880 & Jun 27, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Jun 20, 1922, buried @ Watts Cemetery, Allen Creek, Amherst County, Virginia (School teacher)
	(4 and possibly 5 children in 6th generation)
1067, 2931, 2966, 4752	(1) Ora Frances (Wright) Linthecum B Mar 26, 1874 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Jun 2, 1880 & Dec 12, 1891 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Dec 16, 1891 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Feb 9, 1959 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia
	(Member of Madison Heights Methodist Church)
1067, 4752	James Edward Linthecum B c. 1867 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Dec 12, 1891 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Dec 16, 1891 @ Amherst County, Virginia D 1935, buried @ Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia
	(Carpenter in 1891)

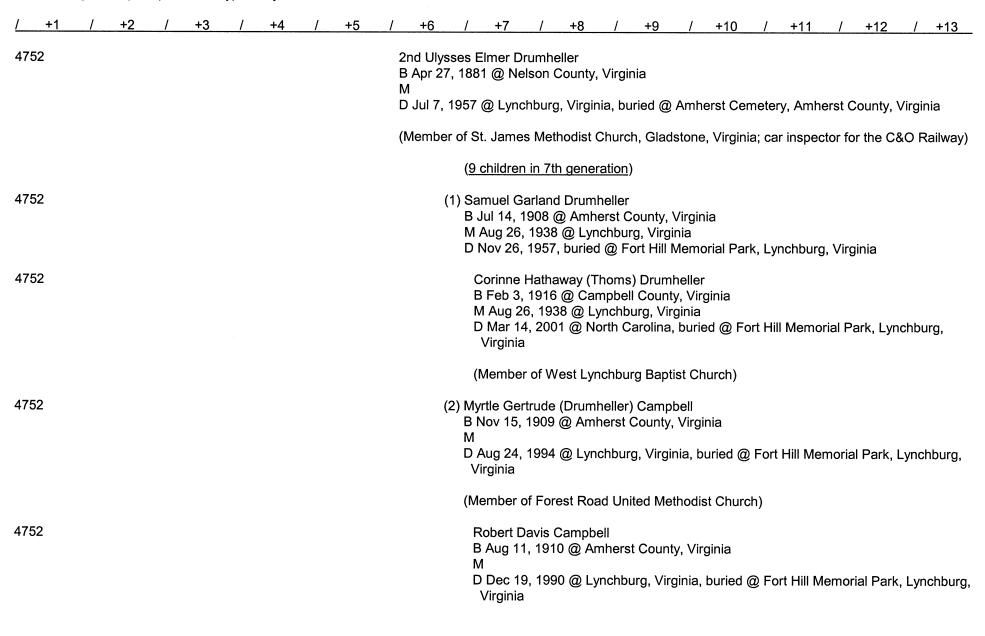


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4752	Irma Louise (Dixon) Linthecum B Jun 24, 1902 M D Jan 7, 1981 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia
	(Employee of Craddock-Terry Shoe Company; member of Madison Heights United Methodist Church)
4752	 (4) Gordon Thomas Linthecum B Mar 7, 1901 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Dec 10, 1931 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia D Feb 24, 1975 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Member of Madison Heights United Methodist Church; superintendent of maintenance for Glamorgan Pipe & Foundry Company)
4752	Mittie Lorene (Lee) Linthecum B Jan 18, 1909 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Dec 10, 1931 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia D Oct 14, 2001 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Raised in the Miller Home for Girls; graduate of the University of Virginia School of Nursing in 1929; member of Amelon United Methodist Church, formerly Madison Heights United Methodist Church)
2931, 2966, 3626, 4752	(2) Norman Eugene Wright B Nov 1876 or or Dec 20, 1876 or c. 1877 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Jun 2, 1880 & Jun 27, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M D @ Cladatona Virginia hurried @ Cladatona Viveriais
4752	D @ Gladstone, Virginia, buried @ Gladstone, Virginia Florence May (Brown) Wright
	B M D buried @ Gladstone, Virginia



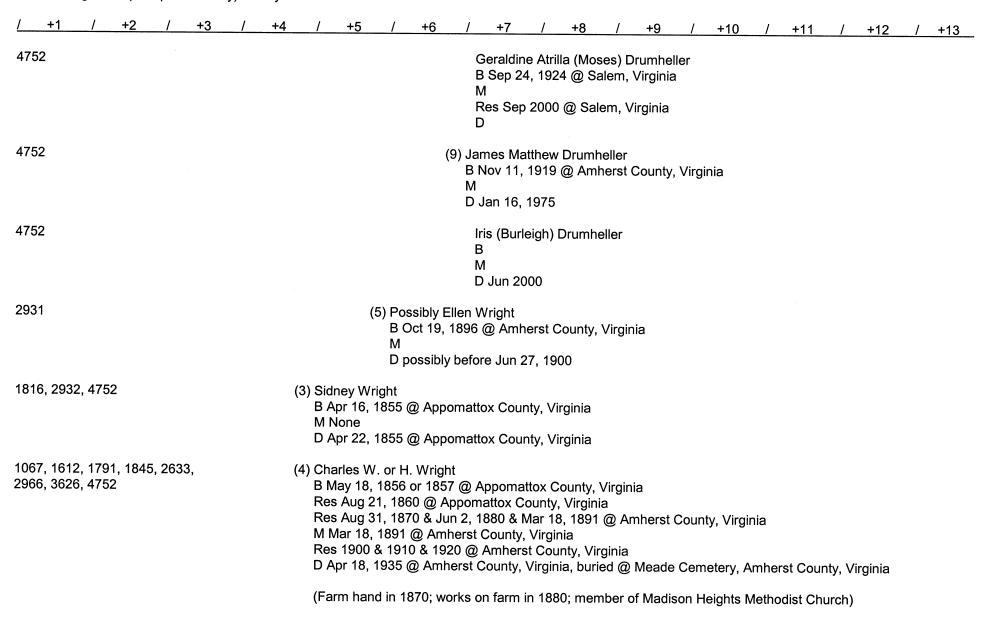


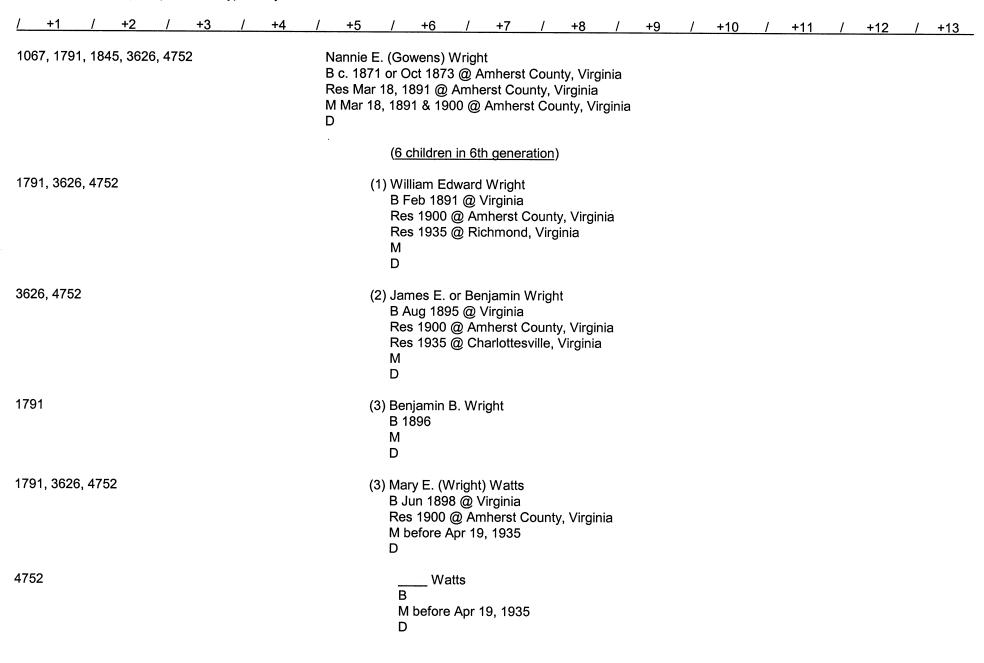
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4098	(5) James Washington Taylor, Jr. B 1911 M D
4098	(6) John Alfred Taylor B 1916 M D
2931, 3626, 4752	 (4) Carrie Lee (Wright) (Woody) Drumheller B Mar 1882 or Mar 5, 1883 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Jun 27, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M1 M2 D Oct 9, 1924 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Watts Cemetery, Allens Creek, Amherst County, Virginia (Died in childbirth)
4752	1st Woody (1 child in 7th generation)
4752	(1) Lizzie Bell (Woody) ParkerB 1900MD buried @ Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
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	(Machinist)
4752	No issue

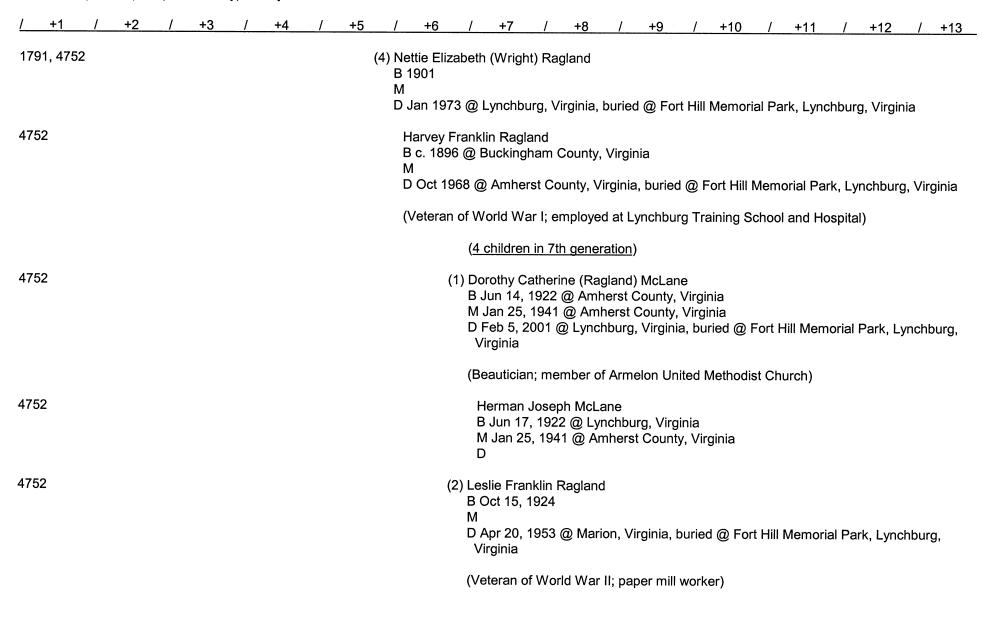


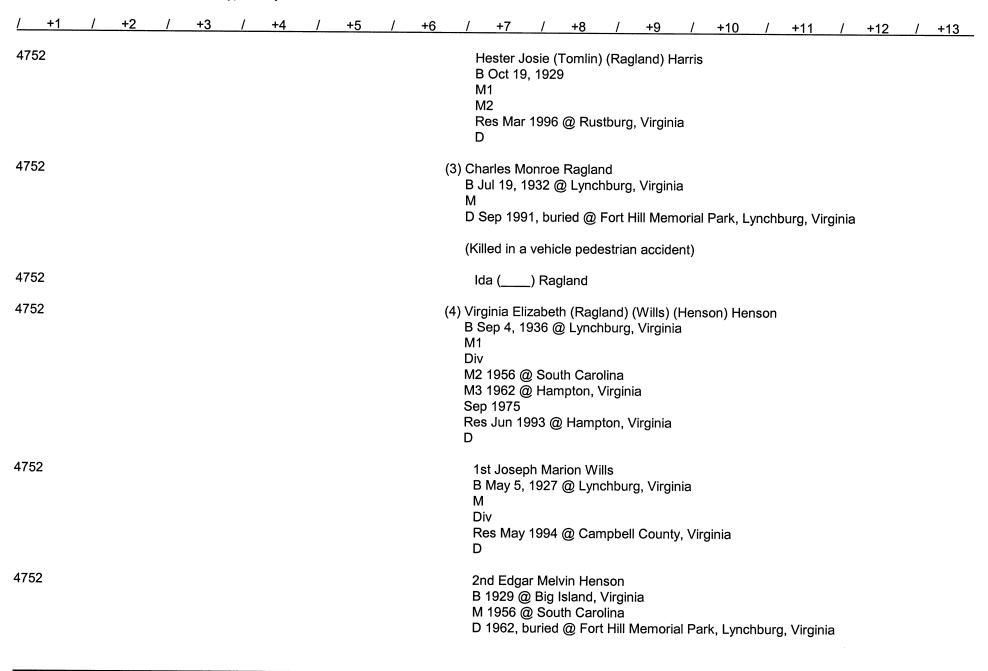
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4752	 (3) John Lewis Drumheller B Jan 28, 1911 @ Amherst County, Virginia M @ Johnsonville, South Carolina D Mar 7, 1982, buried @ Sherwood Cemetery, Salem, Virginia (Employed at Virginia Ventilated Awning; member of Huntington Court United)
4752	Methodist Church) Mary Snow (Tune) Drumheller B Nov 19, 1920 @ Florence County, South Carolina M @ Johnsonville, South Carolina Res 1949 @ Roanoke, Virginia D Aug 26, 2000 @ Roanoke, Virginia, buried @ Sherwood Cemetery, Salem, Virginia
4752	(Member of Huntington Court United Methodist Church) (4) Franklin Eugene Drumheller B May 31, 1912 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Res 1985 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia D Jan 17, 1985 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	(Employed by Lynchburg Foundry; member of Sandy Bottom Christian Church) Janie (Simpson) Drumheller
4752	 (5) Thomas Monroe Drumheller B Sep 16, 1913 @ Amherst County, Virginia M May 22, 1938 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Mar 19, 1981 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia (Worked in saw mill; ran a filling station; drive a truck for Thompson Sausage Company; served in the U.S. Navy in World War II; carpenter; master brick mason; member of Forest Hill Ruritan Club; member of Forest Road United Methodist Church; hobbies included crossword puzzles, coin collecting, Scouting, and birding)

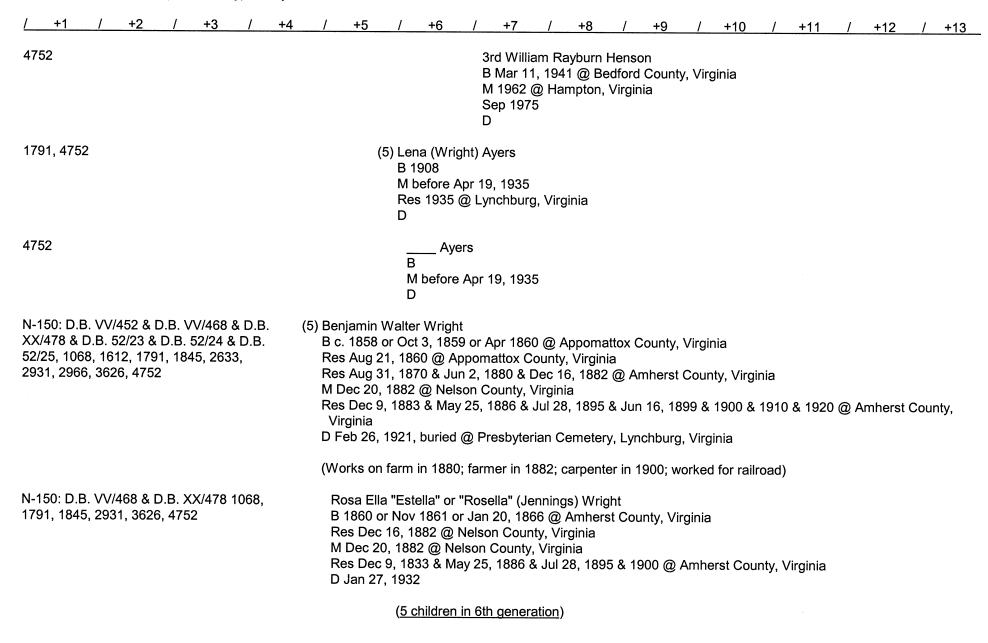
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4752	(6) Ida Mabel (Drumheller) Higginbotham B Sep 11, 1915 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Jun 7, 1941 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Feb 9, 1997 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Amherst Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia
	(Received teaching certificate from Longwood College; principal of Gladstone Elementary School; member of Virginia Retired Teachers Association; member of Blue Ridge Baptist Church)
4752	Henry Hargrave Higginbotham B Jul 13, 1913 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Jun 7, 1941 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Oct 10, 1992 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Amherst Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia
	(Farmer; charter member of Gladstone Volunteer Fire Department; member of Amherst ASCS Committee; member of Board of Directors of Central Fidelity Bank, Amherst, Virginia; member of Blue Ridge Baptist Church)
4752	(7) Harry William DrumhellerB Feb 19, 1917M NoneD 1917
4752	 (8) Robert Elmer Drumheller B Feb 6, 1918 @ Amherst County, Virginia M D Jul 20, 1961, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia

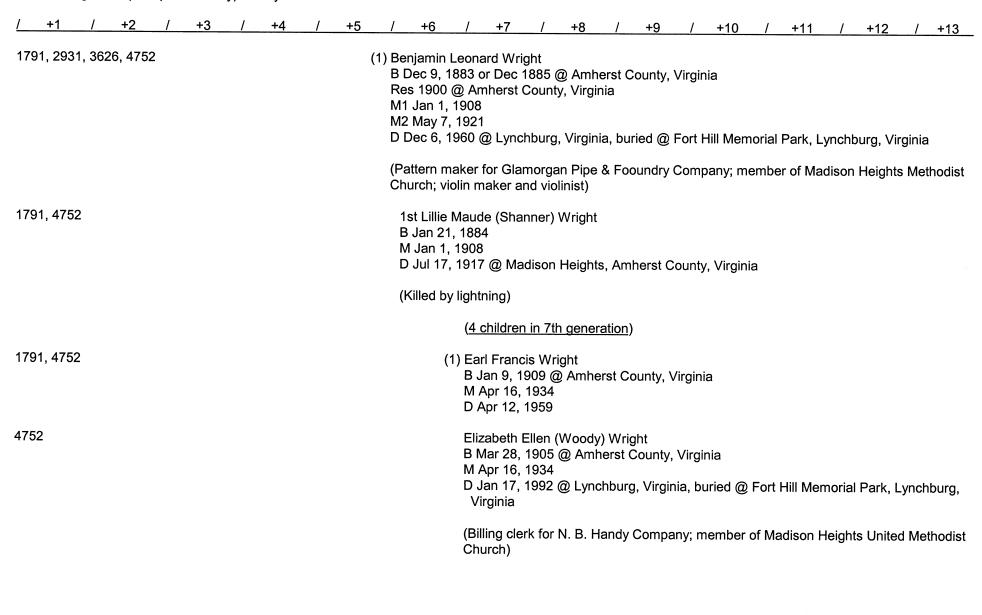




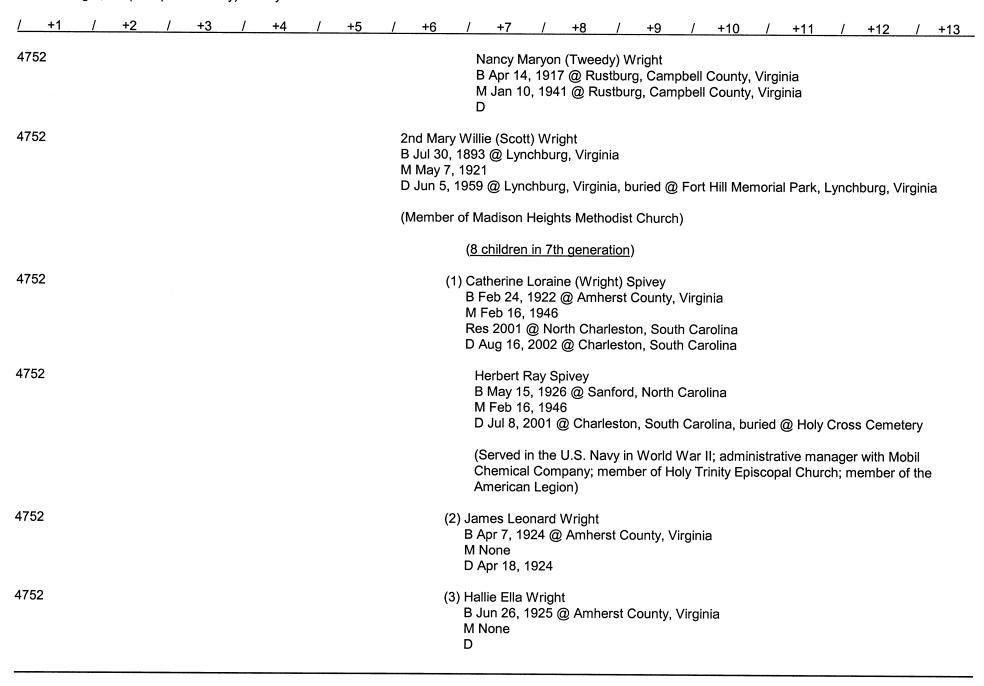


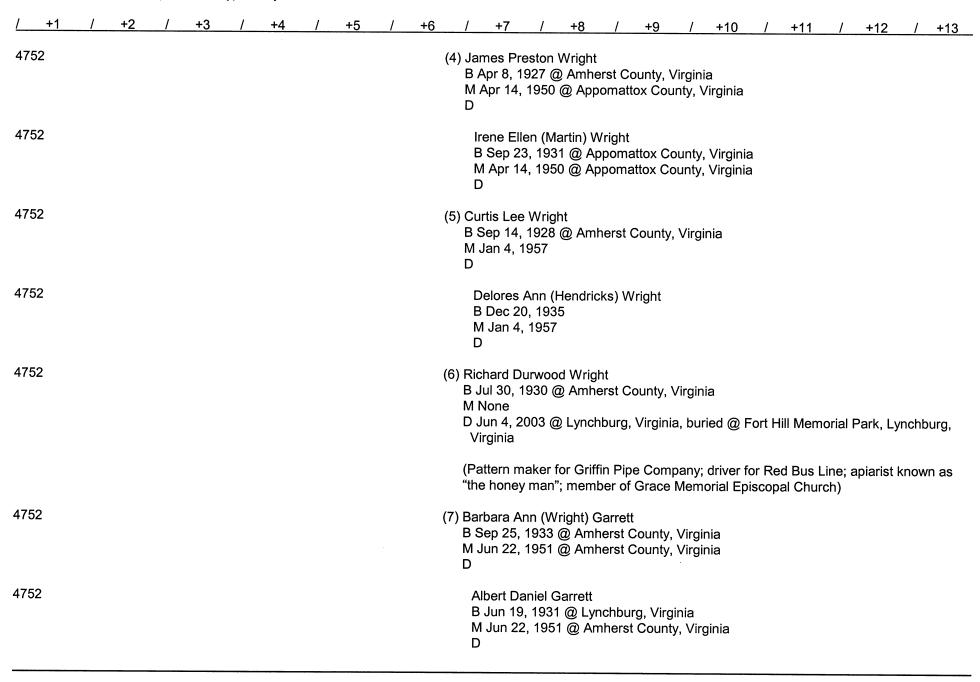




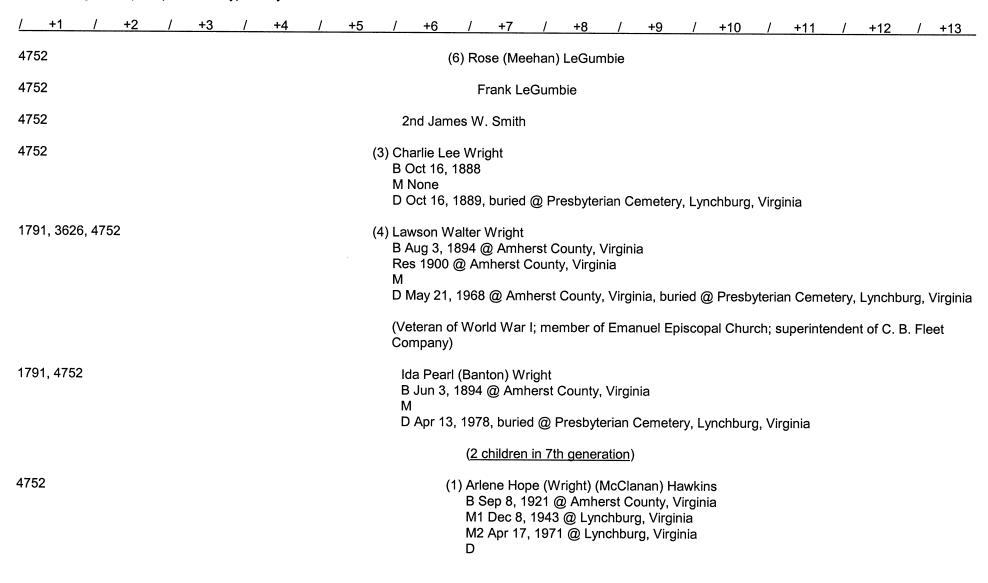


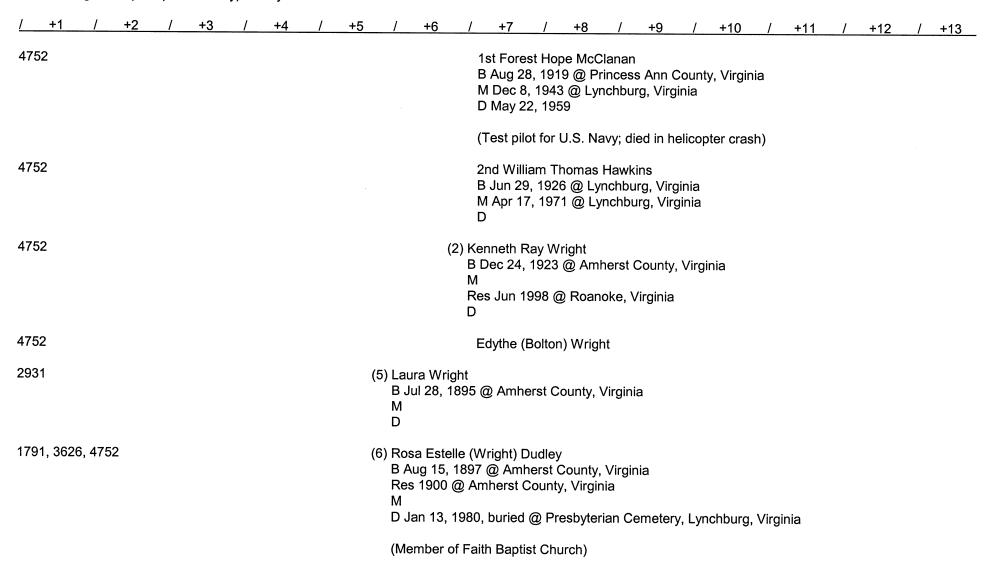
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1791, 4752	 (2) Shaner Harris Wright B Aug 30, 1910 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Jun 23, 1954 D Apr 6, 1966 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia (Member of Emanuel Episcopal Church; shoe cutter for Craddock Terry Shoe Company; member of the Quarter Century Club)
4752	Callie Harris (Peters) Wright B Oct 29, 1909 M Jun 23, 1954 D Apr 12, 1995 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
1791, 4752	 (3) Rosa Louise (Wright) Loving B Aug 11, 1912 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Dec 24, 1941 D Dec 6, 1992 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	Charles Thacker Loving B Jan 26, 1897 @ Nelson County, Virginia M Dec 24, 1941 D Jun 11, 1957, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
1791, 4752	 (4) Walter William Wright B Jan 7, 1915 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Jan 10, 1941 @ Rustburg, Campbell County, Virginia D Oct 7, 1992 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Veteran of World War II; owner of Wright's Cabinet Shop; charter member of Madison Heights Ruritan Club and Madison Heights Baptist Church)





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4752	 (8) Mary Linwood (Wright) (Fry) Short B Jun 18, 1935 @ Amherst County, Virginia M1 Sep 30, 1960 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M2 2003 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D
4752	1st John Coleman Peter Fry B Dec 23, 1933 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Sep 30, 1960 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Dec 17, 1996 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	2nd George Short B M 2003 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D
1791, 2931, 3626, 4752	 (2) Mary Bessie (Wright) (Meehan) Smith B Apr 25, or May 25, 1886 or May 1887 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M1 M2 D May 6, 1958, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	1st Meehan
	(6 children in 7th generation)
4752	(1) Lloyd Meehan
4752	(2) Lee Meehan
4752	(3) Wallace Meehan
4752	(4) Elwood Meehan
4752	(5) Lennie Meehan

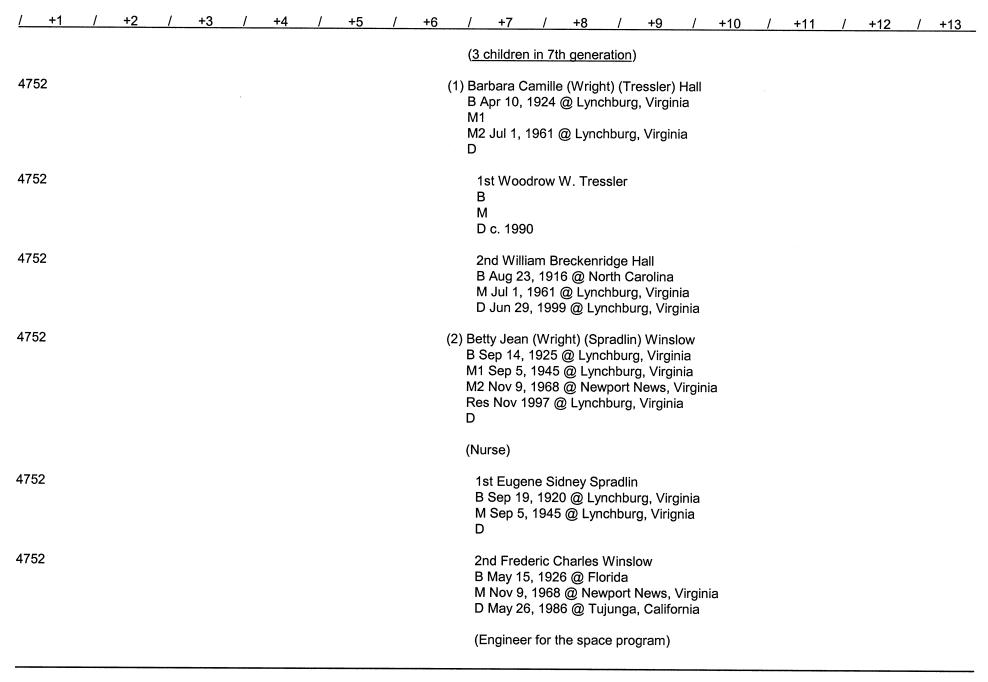




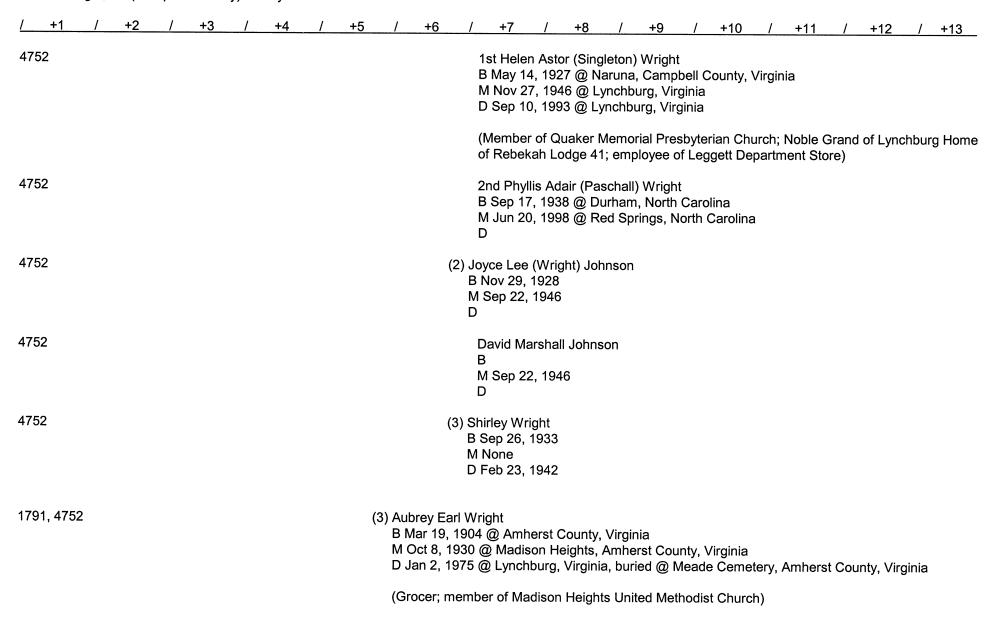
Leonard Dudley B Dec 31, 1887 @ Campbell County, Virginia M D Oct 4, 1954 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Ceme (Veteran of World War I and sergeant in the Rainbow Division; em member of Kedron Baptist Church, Gladys, Virginia) (3 children in 7th generation)	· · ·
member of Kedron Baptist Church, Gladys, Virginia) (3 children in 7th generation)	nployee of C.B. Fleet Company;
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4752 (1) Cleo Neal (Dudley) Brown B May 18, 1922 @ Amherst County, Virginia M D	
William Brown B Mar 30, 1924 M Res 2000 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D	
No issue	
4752 (2) Linnie Riley Dudley B May 6, 1925 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Aug 1, 1947 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res Jul 2001 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D	
Helen Rachel (Hockett) Dudley B Jul 20, 1930 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Aug 1, 1947 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D	
4752 (3) Water Edward Dudley B Apr 11, 1927 M D May 20, 1977 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Virginia	iia Memorial Garden

+5 +6 +7 / +8 / +9 / +10 __/ +11 / +12___/ +13 4752 Joyce (Woodford) Dudley M1 M₂ c. 1978 Res @ Florida D c. 1997 1791, 1845 (6) Ellen Wright B Mar 1860 M D 1067, 1791, 1612, 1845, 2633, 2931, 2932, (7) Martha Helena "Mattie" (Wright) Wright 2966, 3626, 4752 B Oct 14, 1862 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Aug 31, 1870 & Jun 2, 1880 & Nov 29, 1881 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Nov 29, 1881 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Dec 1883 & 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1910 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Jun 1, 1945 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia 1067, 1612, 1791, 1845, 2588, 2805, Robert Braxton Wright 2913, 2932, 3626, 4752 B May 22, 1855 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Aug 30, 1860 & Aug 8, 1870 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Nov 29, 1881 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Nov 27, 1881 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Dec 1883 & 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Jun 6, 1933 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Presbyterian Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (See Robert Wright, Sr., family, page _ above, for descendants)

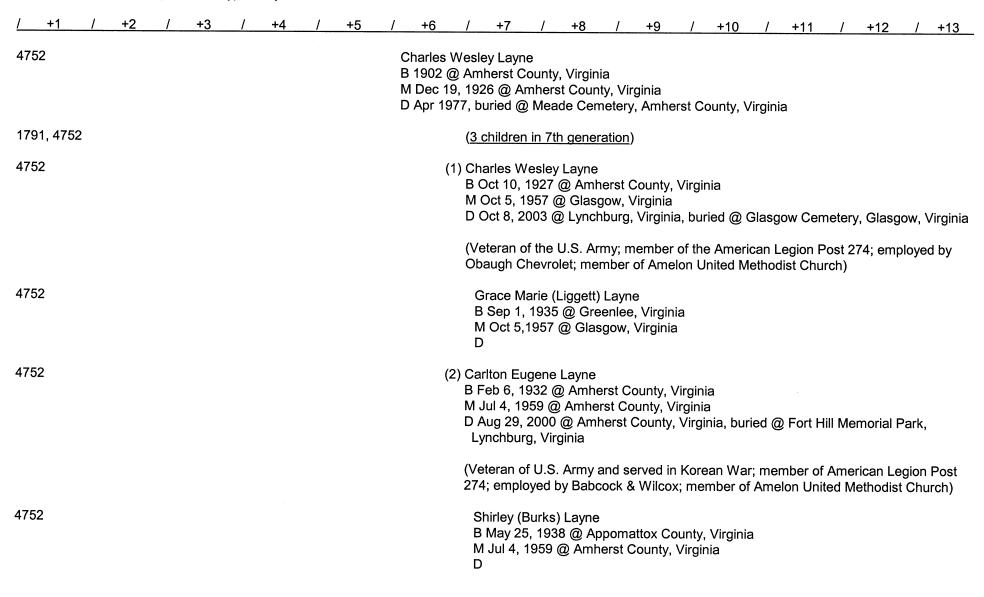
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1067, 1791, 1845, 2633, 2932, 2966, 3626, 4752	(8) James Monroe Wright B Mar 22, 1865 @ Appomattox County, Virginia Res Aug 31, 1870 & Jun 2, 1880 & Oct 28, 1897 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Oct 28, 1897 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1900 & 1910 & 1920 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1935 @ 304 Main Street, Madison Heights, Virginia D Jan 12, 1939 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia (Works on farm in 1880; day laborer in 1900; grocer; moulder for Lynchburg Foundry; member of Madison Heights Methodist Church; member of T. Wiley Davis Lodge of Odd Fellows, Marshall Lodge of Masons, and Junior Order of United American Mechanics and Woodmen of the World)
1067, 1791, 1845, 3626, 4752	Mattie Lou or Lee (Drinkard) Wright B May 27, 1876 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res Oct 28, 1897 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Oct 28, 1897 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Mar 21, 1960 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia (Member of Madison Heights Methodist Church) (6 children in 6th generation)
1791, 3626, 4752	 (1) Charles Benjamin Wright B Dec 18, 1898 @ Amherst County, Virginia M @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Apr 1971 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia (Owner of Double Quick Cleanser Company)
4752	Edna Virginia (Simpson) Wright B Aug 9, 1902 @ Millenthorpe or Milnthorpe, England Emig 1905 to United States M @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Dec 25, 1999 @ Lynchburg, Virginia (Member of the Red Cross and Gray Ladies; hobby was ceramics; knitter and crocheter; member of Heritage united Methodist Church; owner of Double Quick Cleanser Company)

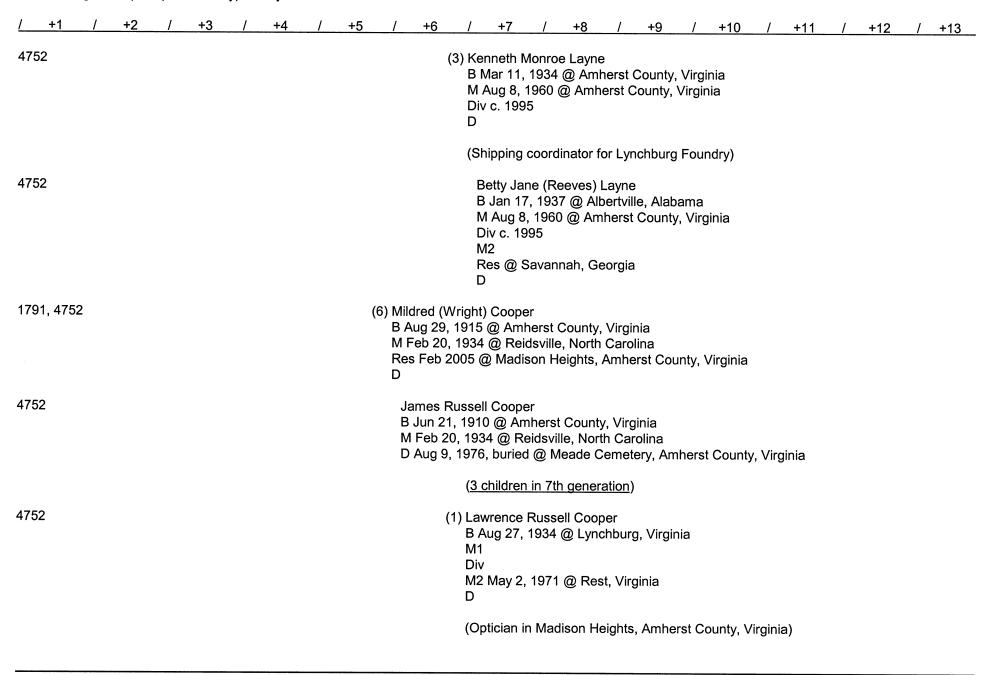


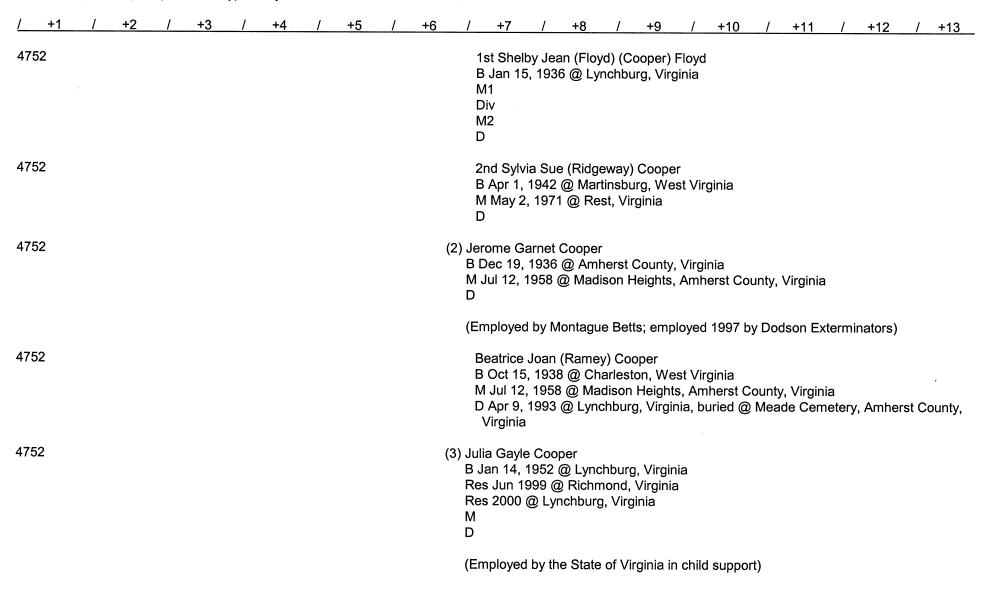
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4752	 (3) Edna May "Peggy" (Wright) Callaham B Dec 9, 1927 @ Roanoke, Virginia M Jul 26, 1946 @ Chesterfield, South Carolina Res Nov 1997 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Jan 26, 1999 @ Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	James Matteus Callaham B M Jul 26, 1946 @ Chesterfield, South Carolina D (Owned Callaham Grocery Company)
	(Owned Callariam Grocery Company)
1791, 4752	 (2) James Monroe Wright, Jr. B Jul 28, 1901 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Mar 31, 1923 Res 1972 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia D Mar 10, 1972, buried @ Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia (Employee of Norfolk & Western Railroad; member of the Brotherhood of Railroad Clerks; member of Madison Heights United Methodist Church)
1791, 4752	Maude Virginia (Simpson) (Wright) Hall B Aug 6, 1905 @ Radford, Virginia M1 Mar 31, 1923 M2 Res 1986 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia D Mar 11, 1986, buried @ Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia (Nurse; member of Temple Baptist Church)
	(<u>3 children in 7th generation</u>)
4752	(1) Raymond Austin Wright B Jul 9, 1924 @ Amherst County, Virginia M1 Nov 27, 1946 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M2 Jun 20, 1998 @ Red Springs, North Carolina D

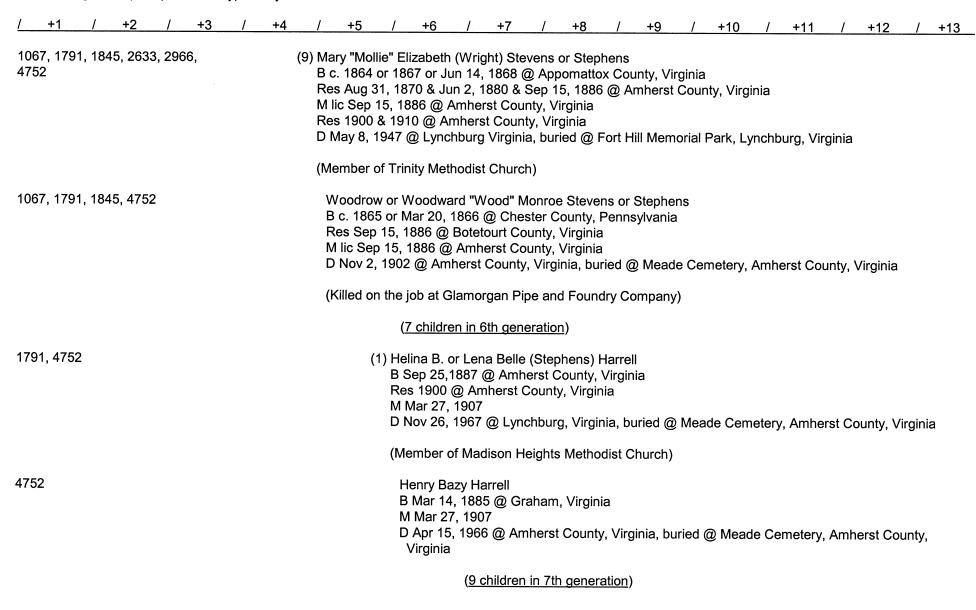


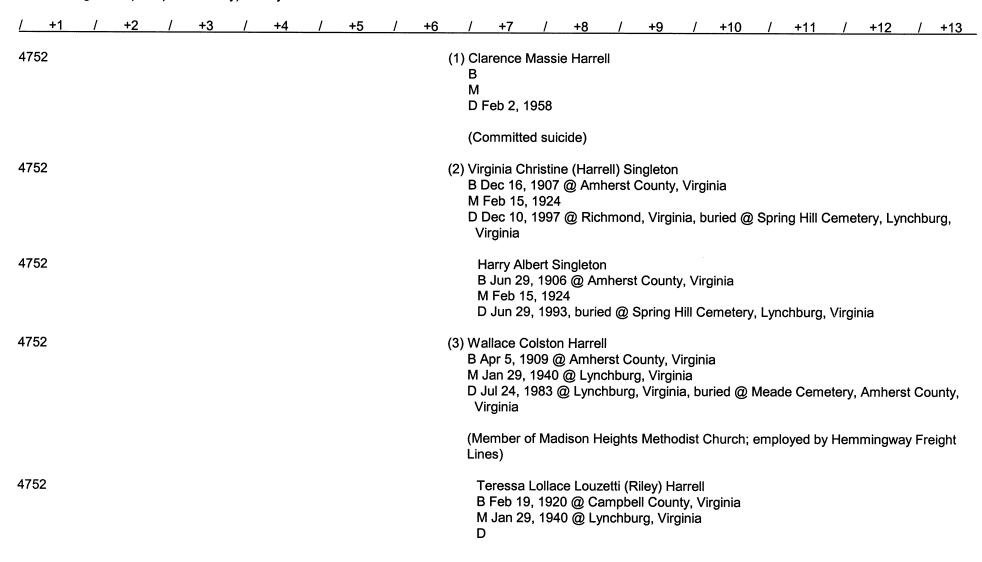
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4752	Lois (Barker) Wright B Apr 22, 1911 @ Pulaski County, Virginia M Oct 8, 1930 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia D
	(2 children in 7th generation)
4752	(1) Aubrey Clayton WrightB Aug 18, 1931 @ Amherst County, VirginiaM Nov 24, 1956 @ Lynchburg, VirginiaD
	(Owned and operated Clayton's Restaurant; employed by Tharp Funeral Home)
4752	Margaret Jane (Mahanes) Wright B Jan 17, 1936 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Nov 24, 1956 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D
4752	(2) Raleigh Earl WrightB Jan 24, 1937 @ Amherst County, VirginiaM NoneD
	(Employed by Hill City Wholesale)
4752	(4) Madeline WrightB Mar 27, 1905 @ Amherst County, VirginiaM NoneD Mar 1, 1906
1791, 4752	 (5) Hazel Lucille (Wright) Layne B Jan 6, 1907 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Dec 19, 1926 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Jun 21, 1998 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia
	(Member of Madison Heights United Methodist Church; member of Madison Heights Rebekah Lodge 22)



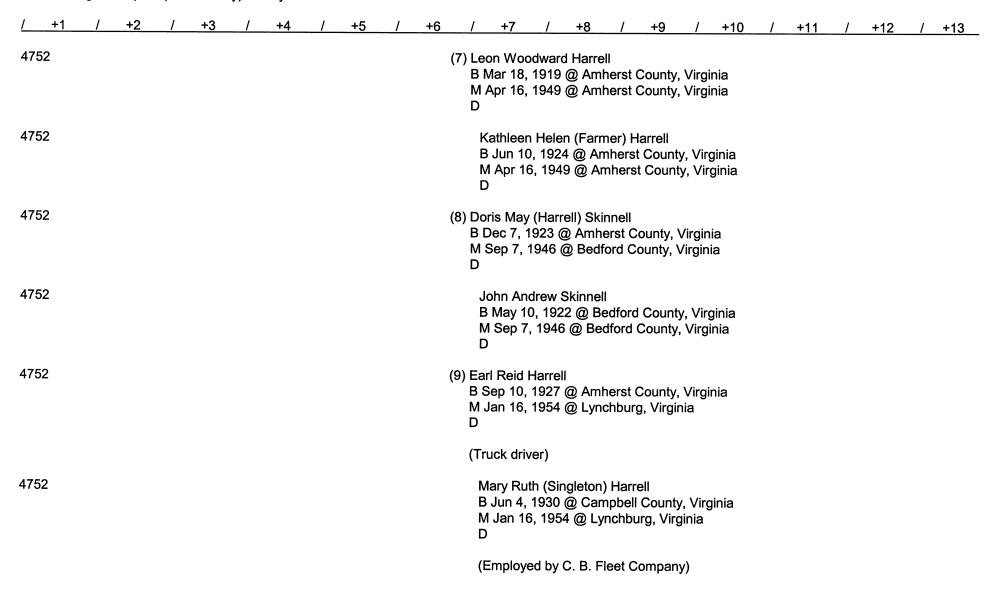






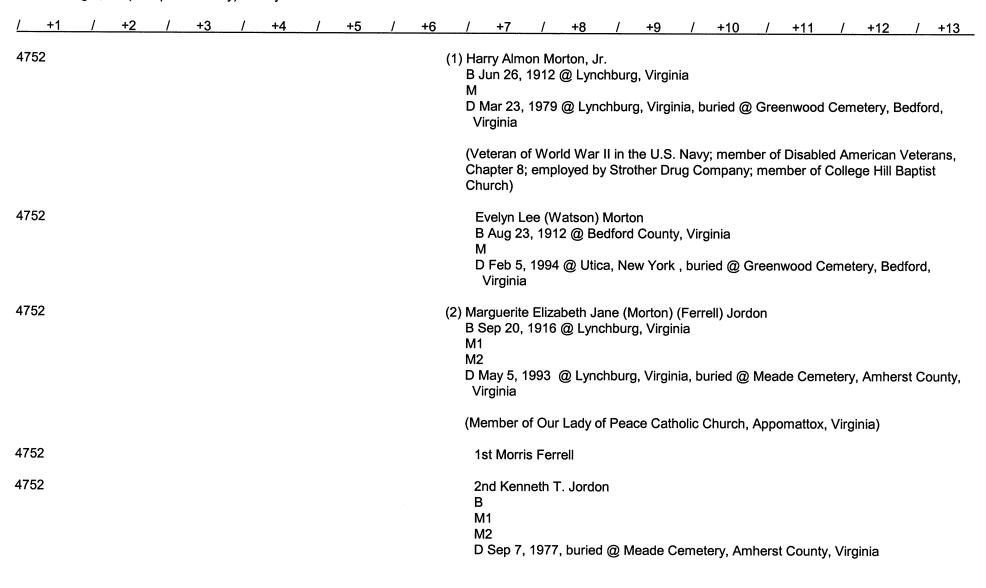


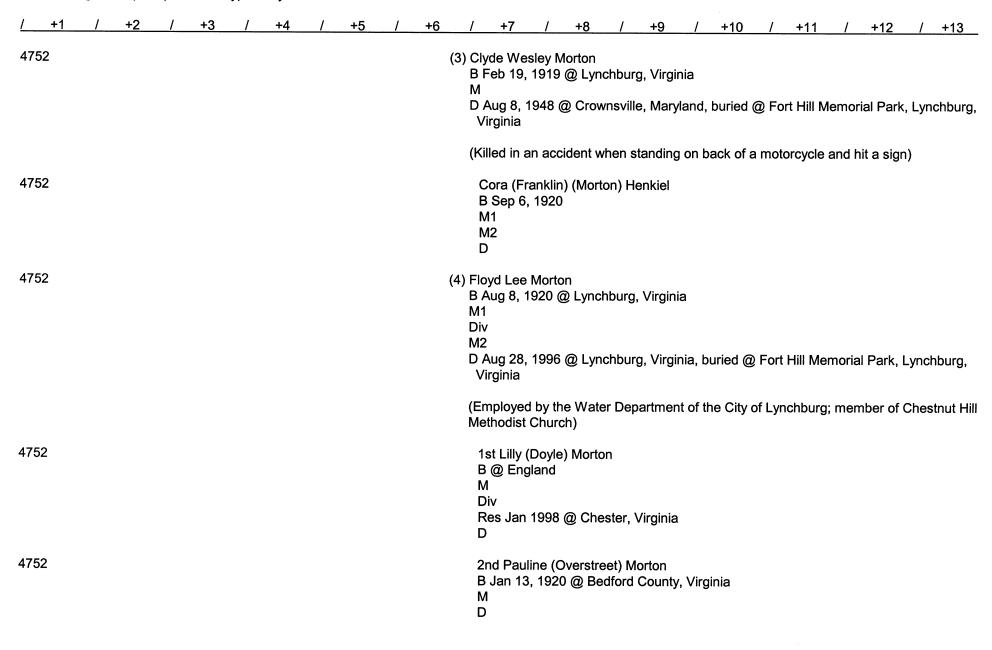
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4752	(4) Eulys Claybanks "Dooley" Harrell B Nov 15, 1911 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Jan 11, 1935 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Mar 22, 1997 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Co-owner of Dooley's Florist; member of the Lynchburg Lodge of Elks; member of Peakland Baptist Church)
4752	Eleanor Christine (Spitzer) Harrell B Dec 10, 1916 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Jan 11, 1935 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Nov 24, 2001 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Spring Hill Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Co-owner of Dooley's Florist; member of the Lynchburg Lodge of Elks; member of Peakland Baptist Church)
4752	(5) Henry Bazy Harrell B Aug 23, 1913 M D Jun 14, 1997 @ Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	Vera (Bryant) Harrell
4752	 (6) Reginald Monroe Harrell B Aug 21, 1915 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Jun 29, 1946 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Jan 13, 1996 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Meade Cemetery, Amherst County, Virginia
	(Member of Madison Heights United Methodist Church;; member of Ruritan Club; employed by Nationwide Insurance Company)
4752	Frances (Layne) Harrell B Oct 3, 1916 M Jun 29, 1946 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Jan 1991

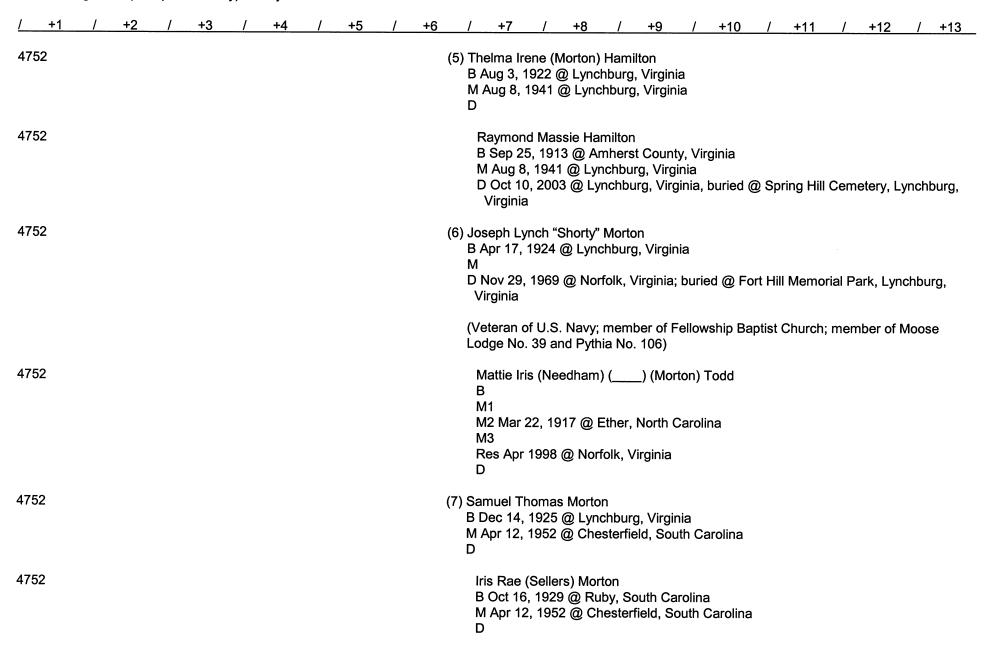


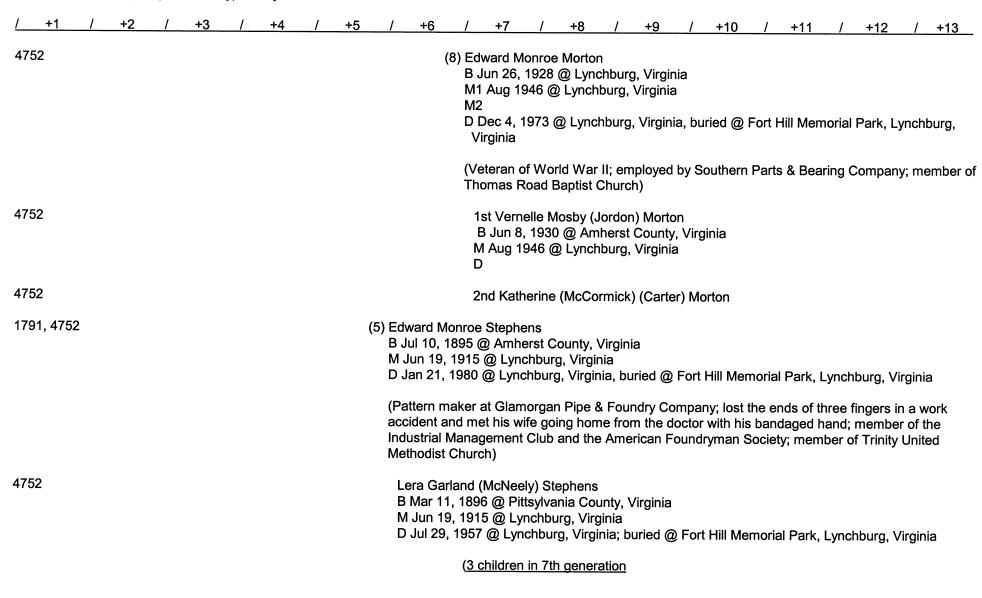
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1791, 4752	 (2) Lottie (Stephens) Hauswirth B Nov 2, 1888 @ Gladstone or Gretna, Virginia M Jun 1921 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D May 29, 1983 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia (Employed by Craddock-Terry Shoe Company; member of Forest Road United Methodist Church)
4752	Francis A. Hauswirth B Jun 24, 1894 @ Decorah, Iowa M Jun 1921 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Jun 6, 1962
4752	 (2 children in 7th generation) (1) Mary Edith (Hauswirth) Barley B Oct 30, 1923 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Aug 2, 1946 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D
4752	Earlie Leonard Barley B Oct 24, 1923 @ Pittsylvania County, Virginia M Aug 2, 1946 @ Lynchburg, Virginia Res Mar 1998 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D
4752	 (2) Shirley Mae (Hauswirth) (Torian) Hawkins B Feb 15, 1927 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M1 Oct 27, 1959 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M2 Aug 6, 1961 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D
4752	1st Gerald Torian B Sep 1920 M Oct 27, 1959 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Apr 1958 @ Lynchburg, Virginia

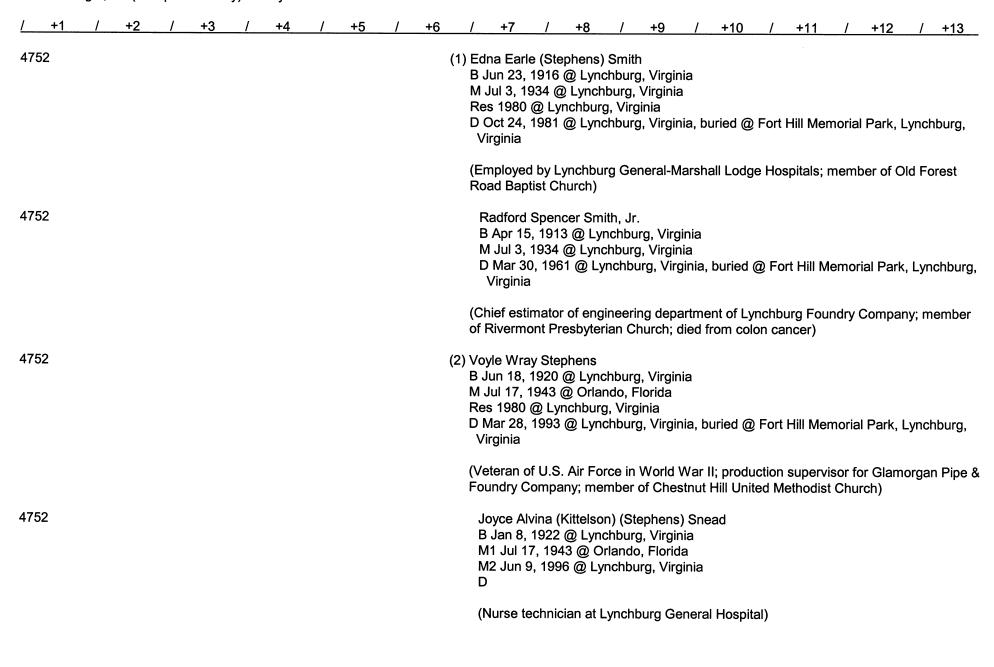
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4752	2nd Bernard Hawkins B Sep 24, 1915 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Aug 6, 1961 @ Lynchubrg, Virginia D Mar 31, 2001 @ Lynchburg, Virginia (Veteran of World War II in the U.S. Air Force; vice-president of Hughes Dry Cleaning; member of First United Methodist Church; member of American Legion Post #16)
1791, 4752	 (3) Clarence Stephens B Nov 7, 1890 M1 M2 D Oct 11 or 12, 1963, buried @ Maplewood Cemetery, Durham, North Carolina (Pattern maker at Glamorgan Pipe & Foundry Company)
4752	1st Evelyn (Alexander) Stephens
4752	2nd Pauline (Brown) (Whitaker) Stephens
	(Member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church; employed by Baldwin's Book Store)
1791, 4752	 (4) Irene Della (Stephens) Morton B Dec 24, 1893 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Jun 5, 1911 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Jul 25, 1979 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Member of First United Methodist Church)
4752	Harry Almon Morton B Feb 28, 1888 @ Prince Edward County, Virginia M Jun 5, 1911 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Jul 29, 1952 @ Charlottesville, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia (8 children in 7th generation)

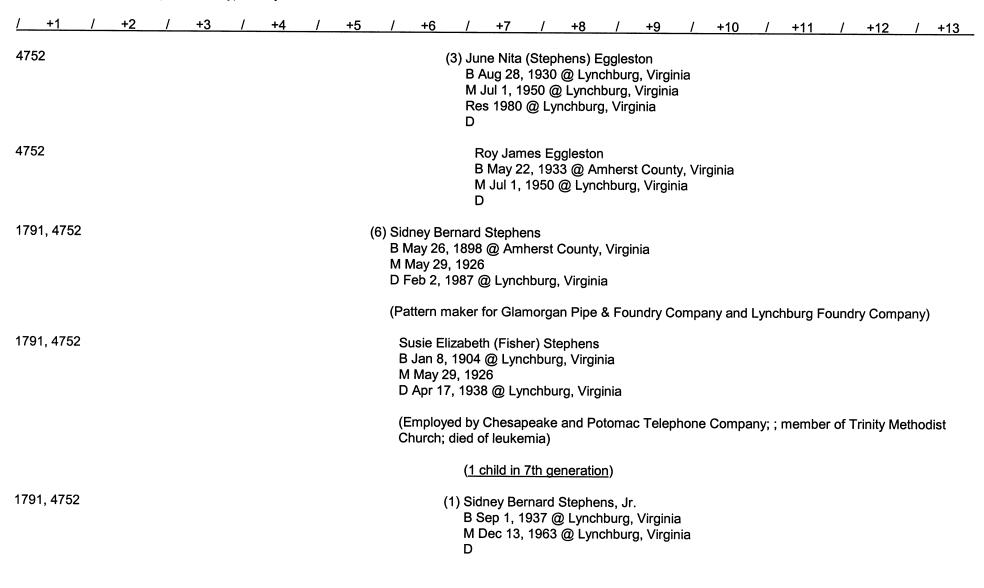




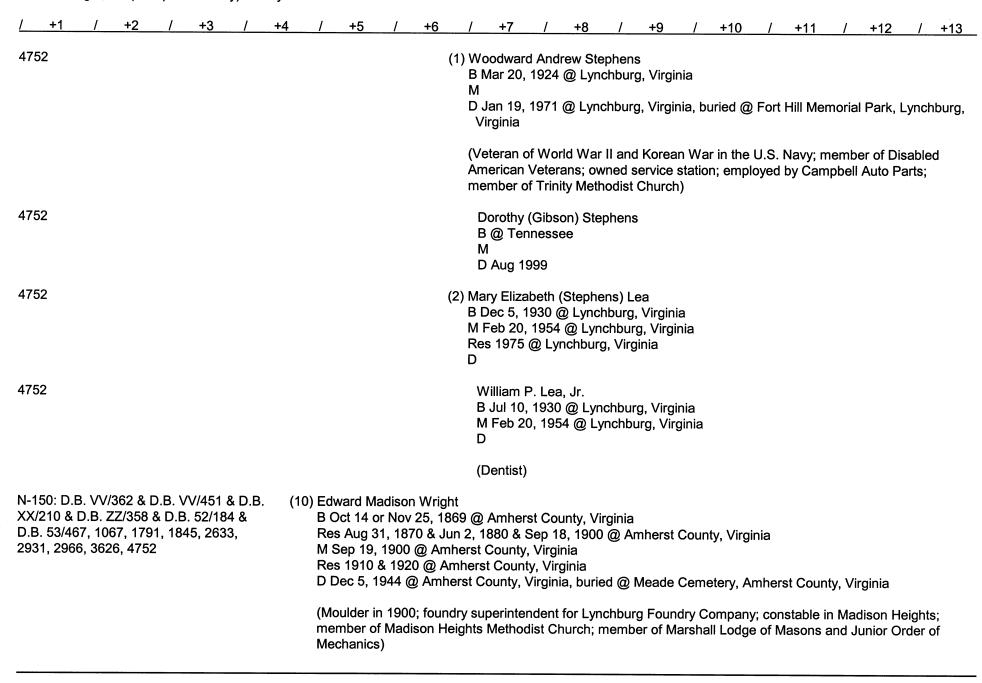


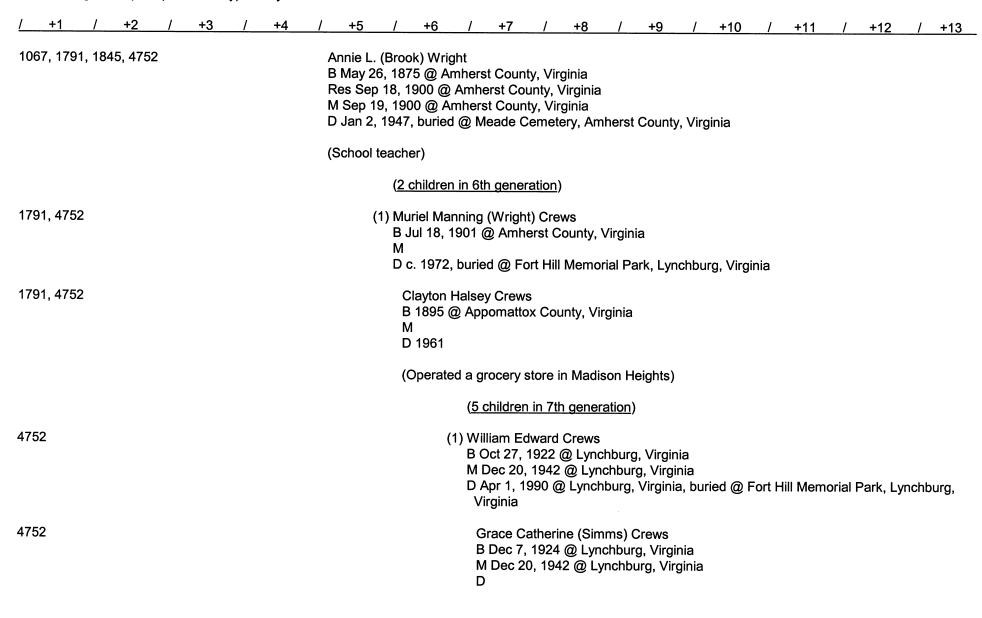


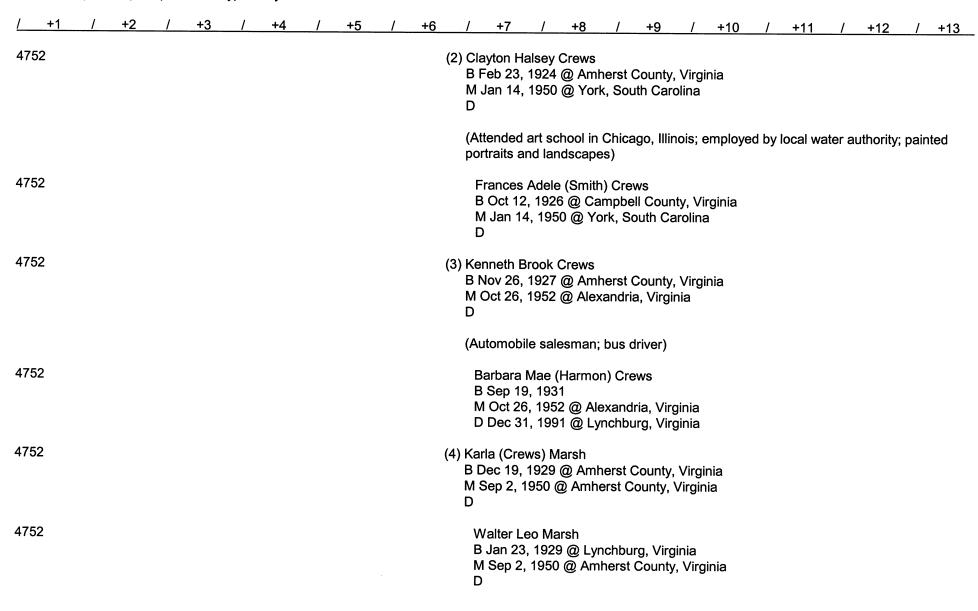


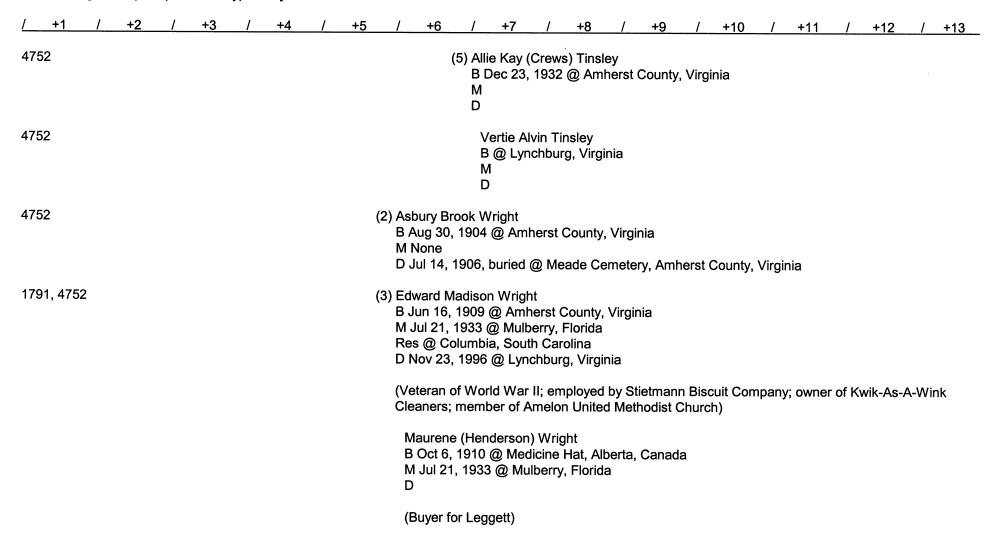


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4752	Barbara Ann (Robertson) Stephens B Sep 22, 1943 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Dec 13, 1963 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D
	(Member of Church of Latter Day Saints; genealogist)
1791, 4752	(7) Elizabeth L. or Lizzie May Stephens B Jul 26, 1899 @ Amherst County, Virginia M None D Jul 17, 1974 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia (Mentally retarded; member of Trinity United Methodist Church)
4752	(8) Lilly Stephens B Jul 26, 1899 @ Amherst County, Virginia M None D 1899, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	 (9) Charles Wesley Stephens B May 24, 1902 @ Amherst County, Virginia M @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Sep 18, 1975 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
4752	(Employed by Glamorgan Pipe & Foundry Company; member of Trinity United Methodist Church) Grace (Napier) Stephens B Mar 5, 1902 @ Amherst County, Virginia M @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Jun 23, 1968 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(2 children in 7th generation)

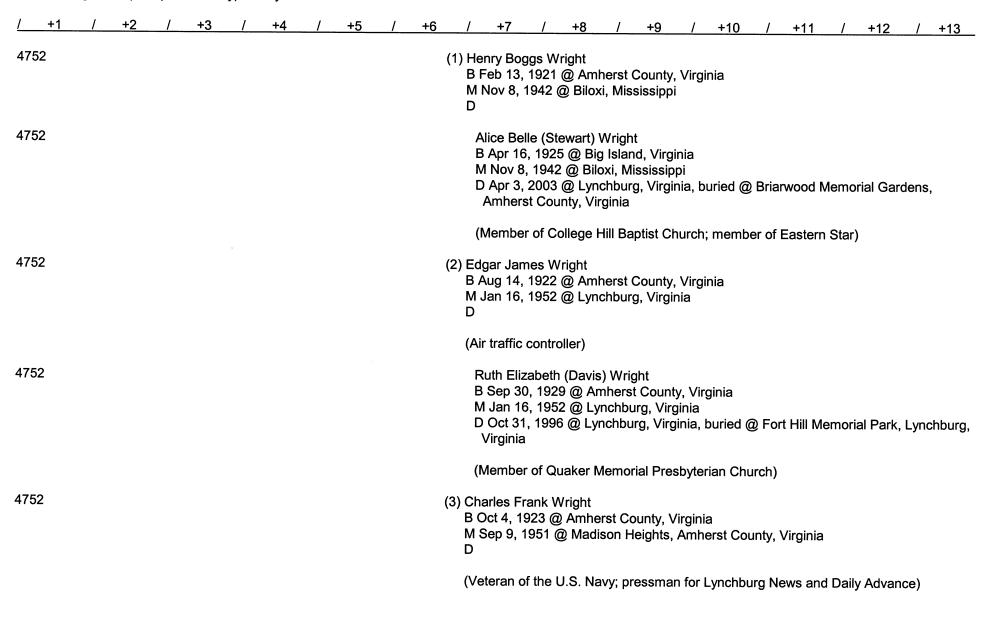


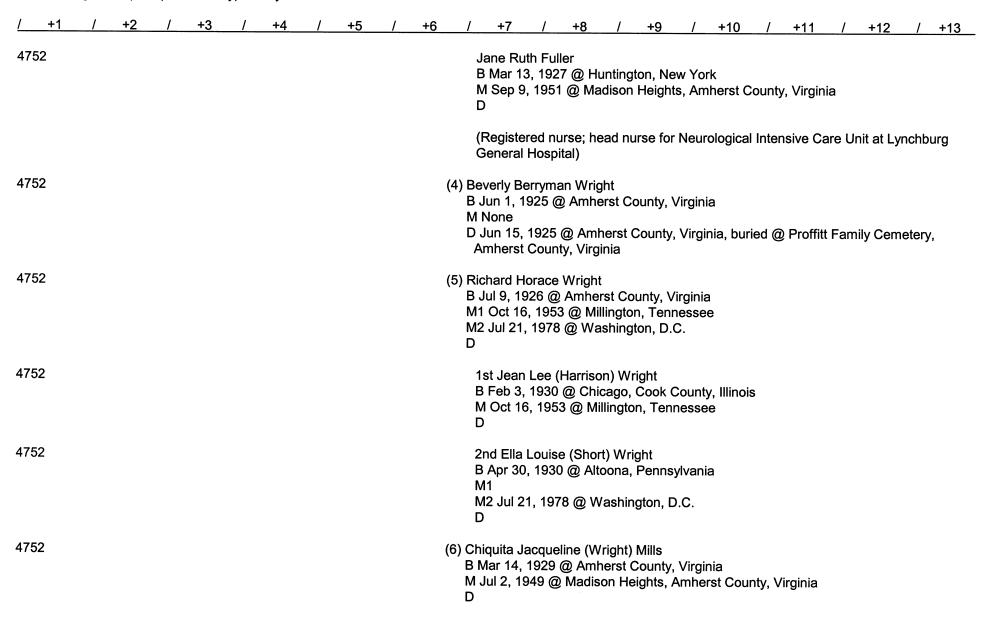




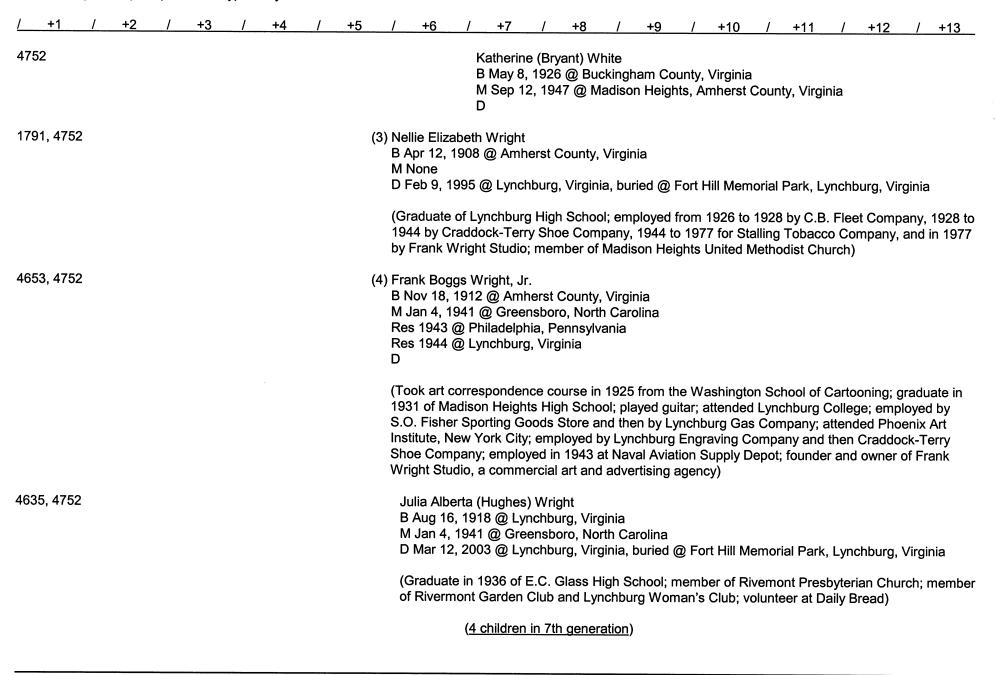


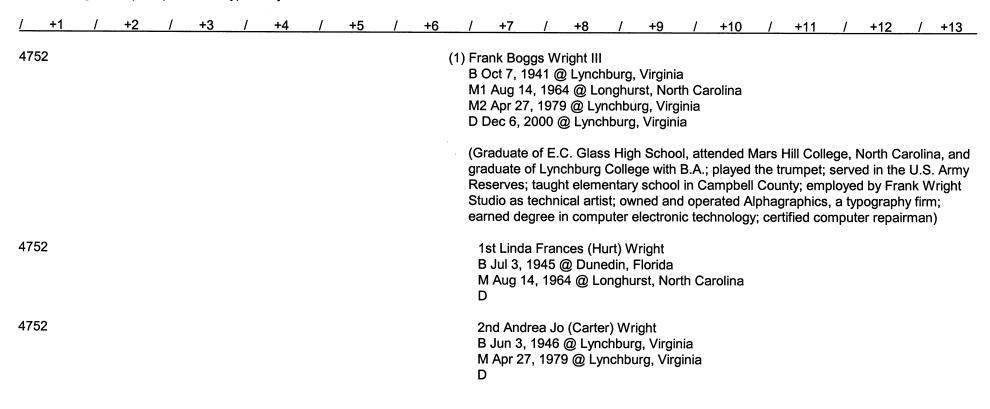
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1036, 1791, 1845, 3626, 4653, 4752	Amanda Elizabeth (Smith) Wright B Mar 2, 1873 or 1874 @ Lynchburg, Virginia M Jan 16, 1895 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Jan 21, 1975 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park Cemetery, Lynchburg, Virginia (Member of Madison Heights Methodist Church) (4 children in 6th generation)
1791, 3626, 4752	(1) Edgar James Wright B Apr 12, 1897 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Jan 16, 1920 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Jun 20, 1973 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia (Employed by Mead Corporation; member of Naval Lodge No. 4 FAAM of Washington; member of Madison Heights Baptist Church)
1791, 4752	Minnie Berryman (Profitt) Wright B Aug 28, 1892 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Jan 16, 1920 @ Amherst County, Virginia D Nov 19, 1979 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia (Member of Madison Heights Baptist Church) (6 children in 7th generation)



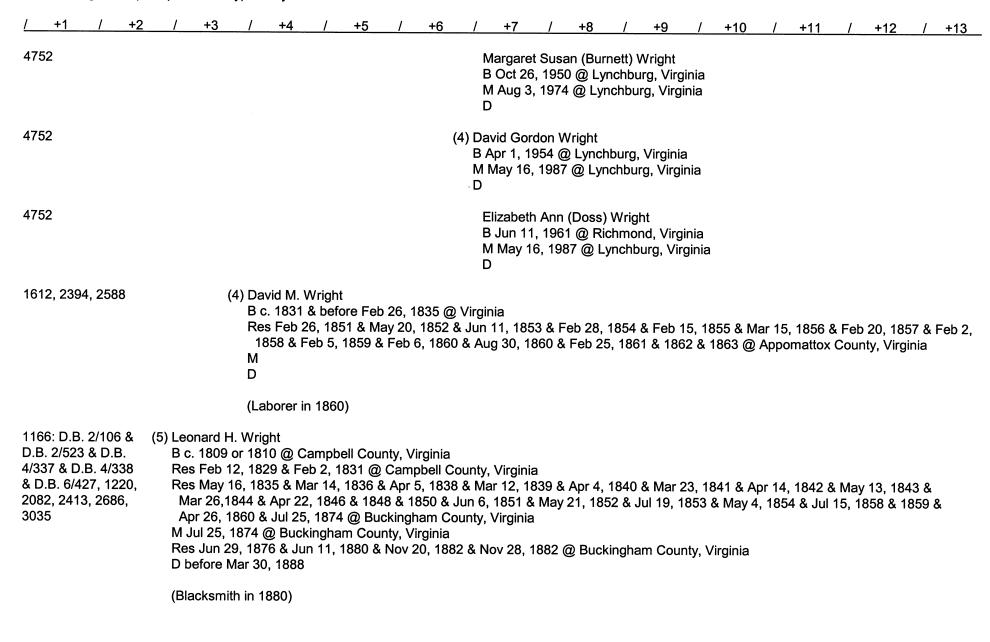


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	D Madison Heights, Annierst County, Virginia
1791, 3626, 4752	 (2) Myrtle Virginia (Wright) White B Mar 1898 or Mar 27, 1899 @ Amherst County, Virginia Res 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M 1920 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Mar 6, 2000 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Attended Holy Cross Academy, Lynchburg, Virginia, through 8th grade; pianist; employed as a salesperson and expert seamstress by the J. R. Millner Department Store, later known as Miller & Rhodes Department Store; member of Madison Heights United Methodist Church; wrote newspaper articles on the history of Madison Heights for the Lynchburg News & Advance)
1791, 4752	Edgar Earl White B Aug 27, 1900 @ Amherst County, Virginia M 1920 @ Lynchburg, Virginia D Jan 22, 1969 @ Amherst County, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Employed by Craddock-Terry Shoe Company and Norfolk and Western Railroad; hunter and fisherman; member of Quarter Century Club; member of Madison Heights Methodist Church; paralyzed in 1953)
	(1 child in 7th generation)
4752	(1) Earl Courtney White B Aug 23, 1924 @ Amherst County, Virginia M Sep 12, 1947 @ Madison Heights, Amherst County, Virginia D Jan 12, 2001 @ Lynchburg, Virginia, buried @ Fort Hill Memorial Park, Lynchburg, Virginia
	(Veteran of U.S. Army in World War II; employed by Griffin Pipe Company; member of Madison Heights Christian Church; member of American Legion Post #274 and Madison Heights Ruritan Club)





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